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32D COMMENCEMENT AT HIGH SCHOOL TODAY

Grade Schools of Both Buildings End Session.

EXHIBIT PUPILS' WORK

Display of Specimens in Manual Training, Sewing, etc. Elicits Words of Praise—Juniors in Successful Declamatory Contest.

With annual commencement exercises in the High School today, the public schools of Bellefonte close for the year. Today's exercises mark the thirty-second commencement of the High School. On Tuesday morning the grade schools of the Brick building held their closing exercises at the High School building, and yesterday the grade schools of the latter building had their exercises, both proving immensely interesting and reflecting great credit on pupils and teachers. Monday evening the annual Junior Declamatory Contest was held and was probably the most successful in the history of the High School.

Today's commencement exercises are scheduled for 2.30 o'clock in the auditorium of the High School. Music will be furnished by the High School orchestra. The program follows:

Salutatory
Henrietta Child Quigley

Oration Lincoln as an Orator
Robert Allan Hayes Hoy

Essay Caesar's First Invasion of Britain
Ermintrude Catherine Bricker

Class History
William Stouffer Schmidt

Essay Virgil as a Humanist
Louise Josephine Cruse

Oration Modern Interest in Bird Protection
Gilbert George Mattern

Oration In Sympathy with Belgium
Herbert Gray Williams

Class Prophecy
Ida Brandman

Essay The Tale of Troy
Eleanor Margaret Taylor

Oration and Valedictory The Lure of the Unknown
Francis Paul VanValin

Other orations and essays will be by Philip Slayton Barnhart, Helen Elizabeth Beezer, Kathryn Agnes Conaghan, Charles Francis Doll, Georgiana Eckenroth, Jared Silas Eminhizer, John Wesley Eminhizer, Henry LeRoy Hartswick, Pauline Holt Johnston, John Olewine Kline, Sarah Byers Longwell, Lee Carson Lyon, Luther David Miller, William Henry Payne, Edgar Allen Shirk, Philip Collins Shoemaker, Orvis Vore Scholl, Claire Evelyn Shope, Edna Elizabeth Solt, Charles Stanford Smith, Frances Elizabeth Toner, Ira Beris Viehdorfer, Cecil Andrew Walker, Mary Harris Warfield, Eleanor Marcia Weston, Linwood Albert Williams.

At this evening's exercises, which will be called to order at 8.15 o'clock, the commencement address will be delivered by Rev. Charles Noyes Tyndell, rector of Christ's Episcopal church, of Williamsport. Following this will be the presentation of diplomas and awarding of prizes.

To Professor Whiting is due much of the credit of the Junior Declamatory Contest on Monday evening. The attendance was large and appreciative. The program was as follows:

Reba Kreps A Second Trial
John B. Holt Emmet's Vindication
Louise C. Wallace The Soldier's Reprieve
Robert M. Gehret Echoes of the American Revolution
Elinor A. Musser The Drummer Boy
William T. Holt The Reply to Hayne
Margaret G. Noonan Toussaint L'Ouverture
Robert L. Musser The Hero of Kettle Falls
Luella Dale Santa Claus in the Mines
Lee W. Frazier The Return to Regulus

First prize was awarded Lee W. Frazier, and second prize went to Miss Louise C. Wallace. The judges were Irving L. Foster and George F. Zook, of State College, and Arthur H. Sloop, of Bellefonte.

An interesting feature and one that was greatly admired was the exhibition of work done by the pupils of both High School and grade schools. The numerous specimens were on display on the walls and on tables in the several rooms of the High School building and were open to inspection both day and evening during the week. Hundreds of persons visited the building to inspect them and many marveled at the results attained. The manual training display was particularly fine.

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IN TROUBLE AGAIN

Harry Toner Breaks Parole Second Time—Faces Seven Years in Prison.

Harry Toner is wanted by the Western Penitentiary authorities and if he is caught he will be returned to prison to serve out seven years remaining on a nine years term. Toner was originally sent to prison for forging the name of John Robb, a liveryman at Howard, to a check. He was released on parole and returned to Centre County. While working for Thomas Beaver young Toner threatened to set fire to a barn. He was arrested and lodged in jail. Sheriff Lee notified the Western Penitentiary officials and Chief Parole Officer Egan suggested that Toner make another effort to redeem himself. It was explained that under the rules if returned to the penitentiary he could not receive a second chance to get out on parole, and that unless he could find some one here to give him employment it would mean his return to prison for seven years.

With this situation confronting him Toner made an earnest plea to be given another chance. Jacob Hoy, of nearby Bellefonte, agreed to employ Toner on condition that the latter would give a pledge to conduct himself properly. This Toner was glad to do and he went to work at the Hoy place. Last Sunday the Hoy family went away for the day, first locking up their home. Toner, during their absence, broke into the house and stole upward of $25. Taking a bicycle owned by one of the boys he departed. He got as far as Howard on Sunday evening. There he hid the bicycle underneath the railroad station platform and boarded the night train to Lock Haven. The Western Penitentiary authorities have been notified that he has again broken parole. When apprehended, as he will be sooner or later, Toner will be returned to prison to remain there seven years.

BANKERS TO MEET

Twentieth Annual Session of Group Six to be Held at Altoona May 31.

The twentieth annual meeting of Group Six, Pennsylvania Bankers' Association, will be held at Altoona on Monday, May 31st. Addresses will be delivered by L. T. McFadden, president of the association, and Charles J. Rhodes, governor of the Federal Reserve Bank, of Philadelphia. Luncheon will be served at the Logan House.

Centre County members of Group Six are the Bellefonte Trust Company, First National Bank and Centre County Banking Co., all of Bellefonte; First National Bank, of Howard; Farmers National Bank and Millheim Banking Co., of Millheim; First National Bank and Moshannon National Bank, of Philipsburg; First National Bank, of State College, and the Snow Shoe Bank, of Snow Shoe.

GOOD ROADS DAY

Quite a Number of Centre Countians Aided in Repairing Highways.

"Good Roads Day" was observed yesterday quite generally throughout Centre County and many men and teams were at work repairing township and other roads. The result was that by evening considerable work had been accomplished. Had the weather been more favorable even better results would have been secured.

In Bellefonte several dozen men and a number of teams were kept busy from morning until evening. Crushed and broken limestone was placed on numerous bad stretches of road. A large number of teams were in service in repairing the road between Milesburg and Curtin. In the Snow Shoe section there were numerous volunteers and they made a good showing before quitting for the day. The same was true in the State College territory.

While much more could have been accomplished, enough was done and sufficient interest was aroused to warrant the prediction that "Good Roads Day" next year will be attended with better results.

County Grange Will Meet.

The Centre County Pomona Grange will meet in the hall of Howard Grange on Tuesday, June 1st. All members of the Grange are cordially invited to attend this meeting. There will be two sessions—morning and afternoon.

Italy Declares War.

The big development in the foreign war situation this week was the action of Italy in declaring hostilities against Austria and Servia. The British cabinet has been reorganized.

Teachers Get Increase.

The Lock Haven School Board at a meeting held last week gave the several school teachers an increase of $2.50 each in their monthly salaries.

Old Home Week Program.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee on Tuesday evening the program of events for the Old Home Week celebration was arranged, as follows:

Old Home Week Program

FRIDAY, JULY 2.

10.30 A. M. Opening Ceremony.
Prayer Rev. E. H. Yocum.
Address of Welcome Burgess Edmund Blanchard.
Address of Welcome to the County Col. H. S. Taylor.
11 to 12 noon Band Concert.
2 P. M. Aerial DePhils (a wire act) In Diamond.
4 P. M. Edward Gheer in School House Commons (acrobatic act).
7 P. M. Aerial DePhils.
8 P. M. Edward Gheer.
7 to 10 P. M. General Reception with Band Concert at residence of the Burgess.

SATURDAY, JULY 3.

Dr. Weston has full charge of the Athletic Events which are take place all day at Beaver Field.
A Marathon Race in the morning.
2 and 7 P. M. Aerial DePhilis In Diamond.
4 and 8 P. M. Edward Gheer at School House.
7 to 9 Band Concerts.
8.30 P. M. Wrestling Match.

SUNDAY, JULY 4.

Ministerial Association have entire charge.
Services in each Church in the morning.
3 P. M. Union Meeting in the Court House.
7.30 P. M. Sacred Concert in the Diamond.

MONDAY, JULY 5.

10 A. M. Aerial DePhilis at Diamond.
10.30 A. M. Speeches by Senator Penrose and others.
11.30 A. M. Nervo at the Bush House.
11.45 A. M. Aviator at Beaver's Field.
1 P. M. Military Parade.
2.30 P. M. DePhils at Diamond.
2.45 P. M. Gheer at School House.
3 P. M. Base Ball game at Academy Athletic Field.
4.30 P. M. Aviator at Beaver Field.
7.30 P. M. Nervo at Bush House.
8 P. M. Fantastic Parade.
9 P. M. Fire Works on the Island above the Falls on Spring Creek.

TUESDAY, JULY 6.

Repeat Monday's program with the exception of an Industrial Parade instead of a Military Parade and an Automobile Parade instead of Fantastic Parade.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7.

Same as above with the addition of a trap shooting contest going on during the day and a Civic Parade at 1 P. M.
11 A. M. Reunion of the Pine Grove Mills Academy at the Court House.

THURSDAY, JULY 8.

Same as Monday and Tuesday without Parades or Speeches.
8 P. M. Giving away of the big six cylinder automobile in the Diamond.

All Organizations, Societies, Fire Companies and Unions are invited to enter the parades. They should give notice at once to Col. H. S. Taylor. Prizes will be offered in each case.

G. W. Rees has been named as chairman of a Bureau of Information, headquarter for which will be established at the Y. M. C. A. The aim of the bureau will be to furnish helpful information to local people as well as to visitors. Chairman Rees asks that all persons who care to furnish rooms and boarding during Old Home Week advise him to that effect, giving name and street address, number of persons who may be accommodated, whether rooms or boarding, or both, also rates. This data will be classified and kept on hand at the bureau headquarters for the convenience of visitors.

CHAUTAUQUA JULY 24

Plans Arranged for Week of Lectures and Entertainments Here.

Miss Helen E. C. Overton has received a letter from Dr. Paul M. Pearson stating that July 24 has been fixed as the date for the opening of the Chautauqua in Bellefonte this year. The letter reads: My dear Miss Overton:

As you know, the date for the Bellefonte Chautauqua has been fixed by correspondence, so that we begin July 24th. This was your first choice.

I have before me the referendum which you filled out last summer. I am pleased to be able to say that the tent crew will be one that I commend to you especially. The captain is A. R. Pearson. Of course I am prejudiced, because being his father I think that he is a good tent captain, but I know he will like Bellefonte and I think your community will like him. Our junior leaders will be Miss Josephine Wilson and Miss Reba Camp.

The only repetition on your program is Chauncey J. Hawkins, who was such a success on the "B" circuit last year that we have transferred him to the "A" circuit. He will have a different lecture of course, at Bellefonte. The biggest musical success of the "A" circuit last year was the "Crawford Adams Trio", who are on the "A" circuit again this year, but come to you for the first time, for, as I think you know, Bellefonte is changed from the "B" circuit this year.

Your eminent man is Governor Joseph W. Folk. No comment on this man is needed.

Perhaps the biggest surprise of the week will be Montaville Flowers, who will lecture at Bellefonte on July 29th. He has just closed an engagement with us where he has been most enthusiastically received. At towns like Winchester, Va., and Frederick, Md., they have insisted that he should come again with in three weeks and they wanted to put in the contract for next year that he be on the program. Hazleton, Pa., declared that if they had nothing else, Chautauqua would have been worth while because of Mr. Flowers' lecture. I note, Miss Overton, that you liked the variety of the 1913 Chautauqua better than that of 1914. I believe you will be pleased with the variety in the 1915 program.

THE CHAUTAUQUA ASSOCIATION
Paul M. Pearson.

Marriage Licenses.

Register J. Frank Smith has issued the following marriage licenses:

Wallace R. Rhymestine, Ethel A. Oakes,	Pittsburg Renovo
Nicholas Federsion, Julie Biely,	Clarence "
Edmund I. Snyder, Terresta R. Wert,	Coburn Millheim
Dewitt Weiser, Helen E. Kramer,	Millheim "
Vincent Delaney, Amby Mitchell,	Bellefonte "

Chosen Bank President.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank, of Philipsburg last week, L. W. Nuttall was elected to succeed the late President of the institution, George W. McGaffey, deceased. He has been connected with the bank since its organization in 1892.

BARBER LEFT FORTUNE

Estate of Late R. A. Beck Said to be Worth Upward of $35,000.

Ten cents for a shave doesn't seem to be very much, but that the possibilities to be realized are up to the man is revealed in the case of the late Barber Beck. His death, following a brief illness from blood poisoning, was noted in these columns last week. His will was filed for probate last Saturday. An appraisement of his estate shows that Barber Beck died leaving a fortune of upward of $35,000. He earned the greater part of it ten cents at a time. The important part is that he saved it. His friends knew that he had amassed sufficient wealth to be in very comfortable circumstances. Few were aware that he possessed personal property and real estate valued at from $30,000 to $35,000.

Mr. Beck had three wills drafted in comparatively recent years. The last was prepared for him in August, 1913, by Judge Orvis. In this will he designates the Bellefonte Trust Company as executors and trustees. The trust is to continue thirty-five years unless his widow should die. In that event the trust continues but thirty years. Unless the widow should remarry she is to receive a stipulated sum monthly for the support of herself and children. This is to increase at the expiration of five years. The income of the estate is to be applied to education of the son, Robert A. Beck, Jr., at State College. The sum of $200 is bequeathed to a sister of the deceased.

COURT IN SESSION

Second Week Term Disposes of Number of Minor Civil Cases.

Court convened on Monday morning at ten o'clock. Trial list taken up, as follows:

Kate E. Hastings vs. Kate E. Hastings, administratrix Enoch H. Hastings, deceased. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for $2265.95.

W. H. Williams, administrator A. Williams, vs., administrators of C. M. Bower. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for $329.36.

Clement Dale vs. John Spicer, George Spicer and Ida Poorman, administratrix of Edward Poorman. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for $171.48.

Executors of William Witmer vs. J. F Garner and Samuel Garner; an action to continue lien of a judgment of $325. Verdict on Tuesday in favor of defendant.

Peter Mendis vs. A. E. Schad. Verdict on Tuesday in favor of plaintiff for $115.87.

George C. Harvey vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company; being an action brought to recover for the taking of land in Boggs and Howard Townships. Verdict Wednesday in favor of plaintiff for $1500.

John F. Kauffman vs. Taylor Township, being an action to recover the value of a horse alleged to have been injured on the public highway, in February, 1914. On trial.

The following foreign counsel have been present in court during this week: Eugene G. Cohn, of the Luzern County bar, and John Woodcock of the Blair County bar.

PAINFULLY INJURED

Stewart C. Cowen, Local Freight Conductor, Dragged by Shifter.

Stewart C. Cowen, of Tyrone, local freight conductor on the Pennsy., was painfully injured about noon yesterday nearby the Gamble-Gheen flour mill. Cowen was standing on the pilot of the shifting eningine when his right foot slipped off and became wedged against a guard rail. The engine was moving and he was dragged several feet. Fortunately for him he had the presence of mind to retain his hold on the engine. Otherwise he would have fallen underneath the wheels. The crossing watchman happened to witness the accident and the engine was stopped.

Cowen was removed to the hospital where it was found that the right ankle was fractured and the leg badly torn. His injuries while very painful are not regarded as necessarily serious.

West Susquehanna Classis.

The 59th annual sesions of West Susquehanna Classis were opened Monday evening, May 17th in the Faith Reformed church, State College. The sermon was preached by the Rev. S. C. Stover of Boalsburg, who was elected president. Rev. R. R. Jones, of Centre Hall, was elected Stated clerk. The Classis has a roll of 25 ministers, with the same number of elders, representing 66 congregations with over 6,000 members. Wednesday evening after an inspiring address by Prof. Rev. F. Herman, of the Theological Seminary, Lancaster, Pa., the ladies of the congregation gave a reception to the delegates. The Classis adjourned Thursday morning to reconvene next year in the Reformed church at Mifflinburg, Pa.

TO ELECT JUDGE ON NON-PARTISAN TICKET

Legislature Made No Change in Law on Subject.

JOHNSTON ANNOUNCED

Is First to Formally Enter Field as Candidate to Succeed Judge Orvis—Contest Likely to Become Lively Before Primaries.

Centre County's fight for the judgeship will be fought out along non-partisan lines. The Legislature adjourned at Harrisburg last week without having changed the non-partisan law, although uncertainty as to what might be done with the act prevailed until the session came to a close.

Various amendments to the law were proposed. One was to repeal it and return to the old system but not until January 1st, 1916. Another suggestion was to repeal to take effect immediately. The latter plan would have resulted in nomination of candidates for Judge in this and other counties in party columns, just as nominations will be made for Sheriff, County Treasurer, etc.

As the matter now stands the names of the several aspirants for Judge at the primaries in September will appear in a column on a separate ballot. Their names will be listed in this column in alphabetical order. Nothing may be printed with the name to indicate the party to which such candidate belongs. The two candidates polling the highest vote at the primary become the nominees to be voted on in November. Should any one candidate at the primary poll a vote greater than one-half of the to al vote cast for all candidates for Judge he shall be the sole nominee and his name, and none other, shall be printed on the ballot at the November election. In case of a tie, the two candidates receiving the tie vote shall appear and cast lots before the Secretary of the Commonwealth on the third Friday after the primary.

There is all manner of speculation as to the line-up at the September primaries, but present indications are that there will be at least four and possibly six candidates for Judge in Centre County. They are Judge Orvis, N. B. Spangler, Harry Keller, H. C. Quigley, Clement Dale and J. Kennedy Johnston. There is more or less talk that not all of these six will toe the line, but thus far there is nothing authoritative to substantiate such rumors. Friends of all six proposed aspirants say they expect to become active candidates. To date no one of the group has formally announced his candidacy. Mr. Johnston is the first aspirant to follow his hat into the ring. His formal announcement appears in another column of this news paper.

Farmers' Institutes.

The County Board of Farmers' Institute Managers, will meet at the County Commissioners' office on the second Tuesday of June, to arrange for the place where Institutes are to be held this season. All of our people who desire Institutes, ought to attend this meeting and present their claims. This Board is composed of the Local Member of the State Board of Agriculture, and one representative from each County Agricultural Society, the Pomona Grange, County Alliance and other kindred organizations. If you find that you cannot attend this meeting, address a letter with your request to Hon. John A. Woodward, Chairman of Board of Institute Managers, care of County Commissioners Bellefonte, Pa.

Delightful Birthday Celebration.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Newman, of Mt. Pleasant, was the scene of a happy celebration last Wednesday night, May 19th. The accasion was the twenty-first birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Carrie, their son, Amos, being 18 years old on the same day. About 8 o'clock fifty-six friends gathered at the home and gave them a complete surprise. Music and games were the chief amusements of the evening, after which refreshments were served. The presents were useful and beautiful. At a late hour all departed for their various homes wishing Carrie and Amos many more happy birthdays.

Weekly Weather Forecast.

United States Government weather forecast for Middle Atlantic States for the seven days beginning Wednesday, May 26th;—Generally fair weather during the week, except thundershowers Wednesday night or Thursday. Warmer Wednesday and seasonable temperatures thereafter.

A CONTEMPTIBLE TRICK

Large Number of Foreigners Fleeced by Heartless Schemer.

With the expectation of obtaining employment working on the roads near Tyrone, Pa., 154 foreigners left their homes in Alliance, Ohio, and only to become stranded in Wilmerding, last Friday. Their baggage, which would tax a box car to its capacity, was placed in the Wilmerding railroad station.

August Soitor of Canton, the unsuspecting dupe of "Smith," whose real name, according to the Wilmerding police, was ascertained to be Ambrose Branty, was arrested. It is said Soitor collected the money from the other foreigners and turned it over to Branty, together with $10, which was to secure him a job. The Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. cared for the stranded men, housing them in vacant houses in the town after getting them supper.

According to several of the foreigners, who speak broken English, a man who said he was John Smith, of Tyrone, went to Alliance two weeks ago seeking men to work on the roads near his home. Smith explained to the foreigners that each would have to pay him $11 to get a position and he would pay their transportation to Tyrone. Last Thursday each of the 154 foreigners paid Smith $11, they say, and he paid their train fare to Pittsburgh.

When Smith's victims reached Pittsburgh they boarded a train at the Pennsylvania station for Tyrone. When the conductor asked for their tickets, the foreigners said: "Smith will pay."

A search was made, but Smith, who had been seen to board the train, could not be found. The foreigners were put off the train at Pitcairn, where they remained in the police station Thursday night. Friday they were taken to Wilmerding.

It is estimated that Smith realized over $1,400.

The Care of Wounds.

The scratch of a poisoned ring was often sufficient to effectually dispose of an enemy during the Middle Ages. Such procedure is no longer fashionable and many people are careless in neglecting slight wounds not thinking them worthy of consideration.

It is easily possible for any cut or abrasion which is sufficient to draw blood to become infected with possible serious results. Not that one should worry over a cut finger or the like, but there are certain precautions which should be given to even the slightest wounds, says State Health Commissioner Dixon.

This is because through puncture, scratch or cut some of the many micro-organisms may find entrance and result in infection. As these little trouble makers are found everywhere and are apt to be on almost anything we touch it is obvious that some protection should be given any open wound.

First however, the wound should be cleansed, preferably with water which has been boiled. After this is done some antiseptic should be applied. A 2% solution of carbolic acid or tincture of iodine applied around the edge and directly in the cut will satisfactorily disinfect smaller wounds and can be easily obtained. A piece of sterile gauze or linen should then be applied.

The wound should not be hermetically sealed as many of the most dangerous infecting agents are those which only thrive when the air is shut away. Among these is the germ of the dreaded tetanus or lock-jaw. For this reason court plaster should not be used.

It is wise for travelers, campers and vacationists to provide themselves with sterilized bandages before starting on a trip. These are put up in convenient and compact form and are a material aid in caring for wounds. In case sterile bandages are not at hand, linen can be sterilized by pressing on both sides with a very hot iron or by dipping in some antiseptic solution.

Deep cuts and wounds of a more serious nature should always be treated by a surgeon.

Woman's Club Notes.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will be held in the High School on Monday, May 31st, at 7.30 o'clock. The yearly reports of the chairmen of committees will be read and these will be followed by the election of officers for the coming year. There should be a large attendance of members at this important meeting.

At Curtin, Saturday May 29th, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Mills Beach, of Bellefonte, will speak on Woman Suffrage at a meeting held in the School House at 7 o'clock. Both men and women are urged to be present.

At Rebersburg Saturday evening, June 5, a meeting will be held in the High School room at 8 o'clock. Dr. and Mrs. Beach will speak on Woman Suffrage and it is to be hoped that both men and women will attend. Hon. C. L. Gramley, who has always stood for Woman Suffrage, has interested himself in making this meeting a success.

ALLEN'S FOOT—EASE for the TROOPS. Over 100,000 packages of Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to shake into your shoes, are being used by the German and Allied troops at the Front, because it rests the feet and makes walking easy. Sold everywhere, 25c. For FREE sample, address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

NEW SERVICE BOARD

Governor Brumbaugh Reappoints But Two of Seven of Old Commission.

Governor Brumbaugh last week named the following public service commissioners:

Samuel W. Pennypacker, Schwenksville, ten years.

John S. Rilling, Erie, nine years.

William A. Magee, Pittsburgh, eight years.

M. J. Brecht, Lancaster, seven years.

John Monaghan, Philadelphia, six years.

Edgar R. Kiess, Williamsport, five years.

William D. B. Ainey, Montrose, four years.

Their terms are to compute from July 1, 1913.

Pennypacker and Brecht are the only old members of the commission to be reappointed. The men dropped are S. Larue Tone, Pittsburg; Emery R. Johnson, Philadelphia; Charles F. Wright, Susquehanna; Frank M. Wallace, Erie, and Walter H. Gaither, Pittsburgh. Magee is former mayor of Pittsburgh.

Monaghan is a Philadelphia lawyer and identified with the Republican organization of that city, having drawn many of their election bills.

Kiess is a former legislator and now a congressman.

Ainey is a former congressman and was a member of the foreign relations committee last session. He was a candidate for the Republican nomination for senator last year.

Rilling is an Erie lawyer and served with Governor Brumbaugh on the school code commission. He is now a member of the state board of education.

The appointments caused the greatest surprise. The names of Magee, Kiess and Ainey had never been mentioned in the speculation as to the appointment.

Real Estate Transfers.

Recorder Frances Speer has recorded the following real estate transfers:

John W. Wieland, et ux, to Henry Reitz, tract in Harris Twp.; $2,000.

Lehigh Valley Coal Company to Lemuel T. Askey, tract in Snow Shoe Twp.; $80.

William Weber to C. B. Schenck, et al 4 tracts in Howard & Marion Twps.; $1,100.

John Henderson, et al, to Charles Yingling, tract in Taylor Twp.; $138.93.

Harriet Vonada to I. M. Orndorf, tract in Haines Twp.; $10.

Minnie R. Slifer, et bar, to Isaac M. Orndorf, tract in Haines Twp.; $300.

Harry Keller, et al, to Isaac M. Orndorf, tract in Haines Twp.; $500,

Sallie Hassinger, et al, to Martha Kerstetter, tract in Penn Twp.; $50.

Kate E. Saunders to B. H. Arney, tract in Centre Hall Boro.; $1,300.

P. W. Breon, et ux, to B. H. Arney, tract in Centre Hall Boro.; $2,000.

Calvin H. Horner, et ux, to Guy R. Brooks, tract in Potter Twp.; $500.

William G. Runkle to Guy R. Brooks, tract in Potter Twp.; $300.

Frank H. Middleton, et al, to Harry Crago, et ux, tract in Philipsburg Boro.; $1,400.

Andrew Lytle, et ux, to John Workman, tract in College Twp.; $205.

William Hudson, et ux, to William J. Sheriff, et al, tract in Philipsburg Boro.; $1,100.

Ira C. Korman, et ux, to William Bohn, et ux, tract in College Twp.; $700.

Heirs of J. J. O'Brien to Edward M. Dunkle, tract in Rush Twp.; $1.

Wm. J. O'Brien, et ux, to Edward M. Dunkle, tract in Rush Twp.; $500.

Ten Licenses in Perry County.

Perry county has again become wet, but on conditions. The court at a rehearing of the license cases last week granted ten applications, giving the applicants the right to sell liquor unless the supreme court interferes.

The rehearing followed the reversal by the superior court of the ruling of Judge Seibert, of Perry county, in the appeal of Howard A. Keim and McClellan Cox. The superior court in its decision held that the applications were in legal form, the form of the applications being the question at issue. The decision in the two cases appealed controlled the other eight.

Application will be made for an appeal to the supreme court, and if the appeal is granted the supreme court may grant a supersedas which would effect a stay of proceedings in the lower court. Judge Seibert granted the applications with the understanding that if an appeal and a supersedas were granted, the licenses would be suspended until a final decision was reached. If the supreme court reverses the superior court and sustains the county court, the licenses would be revoked.

Newcomb Winner.

Charles H. Newcomb, of Philadelphia, with a total of 437 breaks, carried off the general high average honors in the three days' shoot of the State Sportsmen's Association which closed at Milton last Friday. Lester German and Darton tied for second with 435 to their credit. Walter S. Behm, Reading, was second high amateur with a total of 428.

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BOTH WERE STRONG.

But the Price Had a Shade the Better of the Flavoring.

"I don't kick at having to pay good prices," an irate patron of high priced restaurants was saying yesterday, "but, I ask you, isn't $1.50 for garlic rather strong? As for me, the recollection almost makes me weep.

"I was giving a dinner for six last night, and as a part of the dinner I ordered two racks of lamb. The price on the carte du jour was $8 a rack. That's pretty high, but these are high times. I have a great opinion as to the merits of a dash of garlic in cookery, so to the waiter who took my order I suggested that the dish on which the lamb was to be served should be rubbed with garlic, as one frequently does in making a salad.

"When the bill came the item for the racks of lamb was not $16, but $17.50. The waiter could not explain the increase. I called for the head waiter. He went to the checker and came back.

"'The rack of lamb plain would have been $16,' he explained. 'The extra $1.50 was for the garlic.'

"One cent would have covered the cost of the garlic, and another cent would have covered labor and all overhead charges. I figure that the profit to the house on that garlic was 7500 per cent."—New York Times.

MAN AND BREAD AND DONKEY

A Daily Spectacle In Spain Between Alcala and Seville.

Bread made in Alcala, Spain, is of such exceptional goodness that the village is famous throughout the country as "Alcala of the breadmakers." Each loaf is carefully stamped with the trademark of the town before baking.

An early train leaves Alcala daily for Seville, and before daylight long lines of pannier laden mules begin to arrive from all directions. At the station the panniers are removed and placed in freight cars, the donkeys being driven into similar cars, and mules, drivers and bread are all transported by train to Seville.

Here amid scrambling, hallooing and shrill cries the animals are unloaded, panniers adjusted, and the bread sellers go forth into the streets of Seville, calling their wares and boasting of the fineness of the Alcala bread. They return at midday, pack their empty panniers into the cars, drive in the mules, light their cigarettes and enter the third class carriages to be taken back to their home town, ready for the following day's trade.

A charge of 18 cents is made by the railway company for the round trip of donkey, man and bread.—Argonaut.

Scotch Dogberrys.

The simplicity and ignorance of the rural Scotch magistrate often quite equaled that of the English, immortalized by Shakespeare in Dogberry, and here are two exampies, quite in the true Dogberry vein.

"That is a most tragical event which has just happened," said a friend to Baillie Blank. "Your neighbor, Mr. B., has committed suicide."

"Wha on?" inquired the baillie eagerly.

Perhaps it was he—it was certainly another Glasgow baillie—who, his health being proposed at a banquet in honor of his recent dignity, responded nobly to the toast:

"I canna but say, ma friends, that I'm proud of the honor of being made a baillie of this great city, and I'm even, I think, entitled to the honor, for I've gone through all the various stages of degradation that a baillie has tae dae tae reach it."—Youth's Companion.

His Quaint Suggestion.

A Frenchman who appears to have been of a thrifty turn of mind conceived the idea in 1878 that too much valuable time was being wasted in cleaning sardines when preparing them for the market. He found a way of preparing them without cleaning them, and on this he took out letters patent. Apparently he had some slight misgiving as to whether the public would be perfectly suited with his invention and so in his claim he makes this parenthetical entry:

Fish put up by this process may be slightly unpleasant to the customer at first, but he soon gets used to it.

First Moving Pictures.

The first moving picture machine was patented in 1867. In 1893 the cinematograph was produced by Lumier. This was the first machine to project on a screen pictures from a film. Edison improved upon this machine in 1896, when he produced the vitascope. These machines provided the models for the improved types in use today.—Philadelphia Press.

Women.

"Women are dreams," murmured the sentimentalist, gazing on a group of them in silk attire.

"You bet they are," the practicalist snapped back at the murmurous one, "and dreams go by contraries, all right."—Judge.

Not Enough.

Betty Goldust—Did you have a satisfactory interview with papa? Jack Brokeleigh—Not very. He said all he could give us was his consent.—Philadelphia Record.

Entente Cordiale.

The phrase "entente cordiale" was first used to express the friendly relations existing between France and England in 1843.

The greatest mistake is to become discouraged because you have made a mistake.

The Shy Caterpillar.

The caterpillar, though a sociable creature, tries to keep out of everybody's way. Some species hide on the under surface of leaves, others on the stems or blades of grass, which serve them as food; others, again, build little nests for concealment or lie snugly hidden between the curled edges of leaves, which they draw close together until the opposite edges meet. The caterpillar is a sociable creature in his own family. He knows that there is safety in numbers, and you will find whole companies feeding side by side while keeping a sharp lookout for their bird enemies, but when a caterpillar is by himself he scarcely dares to move for fear of attracting attention. Even when he is obliged to change his skin he doesn't venture to leave his old coat lying around. The moment that he takes it off he eats it. The caterpillars that live in companies shed their skin boldly. Only the poor solitary fellows feel forced to swallow their old clothes.—London Mail.

Chivalry In Battle.

There was some chivalry in a naval fight in the good old days of Blake and Van Tromp, when sneaking submarines and barbarous torpedoes were unknown and naval commanders "courted war like a mistress."

When the Spanish Admiral Oquendo declined to come out of the shallow waters of Goodwin sands to fight because he had no powder Van Tromp said, "I have powder enough for both. I will give him half mine."

"It is not only powder I need, but masts for my ships," replied Oquendo. To which Van Tromp replied, "I have plenty of masts, a whole shipload of them, and you can have them if you will only come out and meet me."

The result justified the caution of Oquendo, for when the two fleets did meet the Spaniards were so terribly beaten by the Dutch that of sixty-seven ships only eighteen reached Dunkirk in safety.—Army and Navy Journal.

Scotland and Cakes.

Scotland came to be known centuries ago as the "Land o' Cakes" and as such has been celebrated in prose and poetry. One may yet in traveling through that northern land come upon country inns and herders' huts, see women who never attended a "cooking school" and who, over a peat fire in the great chimney place, a griddle swung by a crane over the slow coals, baking a cake more than a foot in diameter, savory and promising of a meal for the gods, and who, when the big cake is ready for the turning, will seize the griddle by the handle, give it a toss in the air and turn that cake with an art motion not to be seen in any other place on earth, the big, round slab turning a loop the loop and alighting with the other side down in the same place as before to the breadth of a slender stem of the heather.—Exchange.

Yeast In Bread.

In the dough from which bread is made there is a lot of sugar, which contains carbon, hydrogen and oxygen. It is necessary to ferment this sugar to make bread edible, and yeast is used because it has the power to do this. It is made from a plant having this quality. Fermenting sugar is equivalent to burning it, and there are two results. One is the formation of carbonic acid gas. A great deal of this gas is caught in the dough in the form of large or small bubbles, and some of it escapes into the air. The part that cannot escape causes the dough to rise and makes the bread light. The holes in bread are the little pockets which held the carbonic acid gas. The effect of the bubbles is to lift the body of dough so that the heat can penetrate readily and bake it properly.—Boston Herald.

A Morbid Desire.

Two octogenarian darkies at White Sulphur Springs, having been employed by one hotel management since old time war days, are now retained as pensioners, though they occasionally do light and pottering jobs about the place.

One day not long ago they were languidly raking leaves on the lawn. As a lady passed she heard them quarreling and stopped to listen.

"Nigger," stated the older of the pair, "does you know whut I wish't? I wish't dat hotel yonder had a thousan' rooms in it and you wuz laid out daid in ev'y room!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Overcharged.

In a western town the attorney for the gas company was making a popular address.

"Think of the good the gas company has done," he cried. "If I were permitted a pun I would say in the words of the immortal poet, 'Honor the light brigade!'"

Whereupon a shrill voice came from the rear, "Oh, what a charge they made!"—New York Times.

Doing His Best.

Teacher—Is there no way I can induce you, Johnny, to take some interest in your algebra? Johnny—Certainly, Miss Jinks. In fact, I do take an interest, but somehow I don't seem to be able to get hold of the principle.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Almanacs.

Almanacs are in existence that were compiled in the fourteenth century, but they are only in manuscript. The first printed almanac was issued about the year 1475.

Men of letter mind manifest themselves in their opinions [illegible] small minded men in their going after gain.

HELP THE KIDNEYS

Bellefonte Readers Are Learning The Way.

It's the little kidney ills—
The lame, weak or aching back—
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President has Grand-daughter.

A baby girl, the second grandchild of President Wilson, was born last Friday night to Secretary and Mrs. William G. McAdoo at Washington. She will be christened Ellen Wilson for the late Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

The secretary and Mrs. McAdoo, who is the president's youngest daughter, were married in the blue room at the white house just a year ago. The president was at the McAdoo home when his grand-daughter was born.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children.

For Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teeth-Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and are a pleasing remedy for Worms Used by Mothers for 26 years. They never fail. At all druggists 25c. Sample free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration in the estate of Mrs. Mary Singer, late of Liberty Township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

HARRY KELLER, Attorney.
WILLIAM A. BOWES, Administrator, Blanchard, Pa.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary upon the estate of P. W. Burket, late of Half-moon Township, Centre County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment and all those who may have claims against the same must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

I. G. BURKET, Executor.
Stormstown, Pa.
4-15-6t.

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June 4 to 7

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For details of this attractive tour apply to nearest Ticket Agent or address DAVID TODD, Division Passenger Agent, Williamsport.

Pennsylvania R. R.

Attended Memorial Services

On Sunday, May 23d, escorted by Lieut. George L. Jackson Camp, No. 70, United Spanish War Veterans, Gregg Post, No. 95, G. A. R., marched to the Evangelical church where Memorial services were held in honor of our hero dead. Rev. Mr. Fulcomer preached an excellent sermon to the veterans. A very solemn feature was the older veterans of the Grand Army passing through the ranks of the younger veterans of the Spanish-American war, who stood at attention with bared heads in honor of those who fought so valiantly in the Civil war. In the afternoon three automobiles carried a detail of Gregg Post and a detail of Lieut. Jackson Camp to the Meyers cemetery where graves were decorated and brief addresses made by Comrade D. F. Fortney and Comrade H. S. Taylor. From that point the veterans crossed over to Shiloh cemetery where services were held in the church. A male quartet from State College sang some very beautiful hymns. Addresses were made by Commander S. B. Miller and Comrades Fortney and Taylor. These are very solemn services and nothing should keep members away on this day. In honor of the boys who lie at rest, the members of Gregg Post and Lieut. Jackson Camp urge the citizens of Centre County to stand at attention with bared heads from 12 o'clock noon until 12.05 on Monday, 31st, next.

Convicts Study Farming.

Forty prisoners in the Eastern Penitentiary at Philadelphia are studying agriculture by correspondence with the Pennsylvania State College. They were enrolled as regular mail students last Saturday. Warden Robert McKenty asked for additional enrollment blanks, and said the number of convict students would be greatly increased.

Courses covering virtually the entire field of agriculture have been chosen by the students who were permitted to select their subjects. While most of them showed particular interest in one or two specialized courses, such as poultry raising and fruit growing, a few sought a wider range of instruction. One applicant, who said he was a salesman, 44 years old, asked for all 36 courses offered. Prof. Mairs, head of the correspondence instruction at the college, plans to extend the work to other State institutions if this experiment proves successful.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following letters remain unclaimed at the Bellefonte postoffice:

C. F. Dillon, John Fenton, Mrs. Clayton Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller, Dr. Robinson, Rev. John I. Scott, W. C. Weaver. Messrs. S. & J. Welsh. When called for please say advertised.

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Bellefonte Trust Company,
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SATISFIED WITH WORK OF SESSION

Legislature Passed Many Acts of Importance to People.

ALL PARTY PLEDGES KEPT

Leaders of the G. O. P. Feel That No Previous Legislature Accomplished as Much In Fulfilling to the Letter Planks In the Party Platform—Nature of Some of the Big Laws Enacted.

Harrisburg, May 25.—With a record of achievement in the way of enactment of progressive and constructive legislation, second to none in the legislative records of the commonwealth, the 1915 session of the general assembly of Pennsylvania has passed into history.

Governor Brumbaugh and the Republican leaders are naturally pleased with the results, for the members of the senate and house, through their good work, have paved the way for placing upon the statute books of the state all of the important legislation endorsed in the Republican platform adopted at Pittsburgh last summer.

A child labor bill calling for a fifty-one hour per week schedule for boys and girls between the ages of fourteen and sixteen, with a vocational school feature included, has already been signed by the governor. It becomes operative next January.

During the closing hours of the session a workmen's compensation act that has the enthusiastic approval of the governor and thousands of men and women employed in the various industrial plants and in and about the mines of the state, was passed. As a companion bill the legislature, after one of the stiffest fights of the session, adopted the Catlin bill, designed to bring the hard coal mine workers under the provisions of the workmen's compensation law. The latter will go into effect in January, 1916.

Woman suffrage will be one of the issues in the campaign this fall. In November the voters of Pennsylvania are to decide wether or not the women shall be entitled to vote. An effort on the part of the suffragists to get the legislature to pass a bill permitting women to act as watchers at the polls met with success in the senate, but the measure was defeated in the house.

Several Revenue Raisers.

Governor Brumbaugh's revenue raising program fared very well, and as a result measures intended to bring an additional $7,000,000 annually to the state's treasury are now awaiting the governor's approval. But one bill of this character fell by the wayside—the measure that would have increased the automobile license fees approximately 25 per cent and that would have netted the state about $400,000 in excess of the present returns.

Revenue raisers sent to the governor are:

Compelling the counties instead of the state to defray the primary election expenses (having been given the benefit of the personal property tax in 1913), thus saving the state $800,000 biennially.

Dawson anthracite coal tax as substitute for present law, to bring in $2,500,000 annually to state.

Providing for the escheating into the state treasury of all bank deposits unclaimed for seventeen years.

Placing two cent stamp tax per $100 value on stock transactions.

Compelling families who are able to pay for maintenance of insane in state institutions, saving state $100,000 annually.

Establishing state insurance fund, ultimately saving state $100,000 annually.

People living in the rural sections of the state will be interested in the bill reorganizing the department of agriculture, now before the governor for action. The bill calls for an advisory commission of seven members, to serve without pay, and appointed by the governor, to regulate the affairs of the department and to help the governor choose the secretary of agriculture, the dairy and food commissioner, the chief chemist, the zoologist, the chief veterinarian, as deputies. Dual office-holding is abolished, every employe of the department being compelled to devote his time exclusively to his job.

Another effort is to be made to have the voters of the state authorize a loan of $50,000,000 for the construction of new roads. The Sproul resolution passed this session. It must go before the session of 1917, and if favorably acted upon at that time the question will be passed upon at the polls in 1918. The law requires that five years shall elapse before a proposed amendment to the constitution can be voted upon the second time. It will so happen that when election day 1918 arrives it will be just five years from the eve of election since the voters defeated the road loan proposition in 1913.

Little Liquor Legislation.

But one piece of liquor legislation went to the governor. It is a bill providing for the commitment of habitual drunkards to the state institution for inebriates. Many liquor bills died in committee. Others, like the local option measure, were defeated in the house.

So that the department of labor and industry can better carry on its work, seventy-eight new positions have been created, increasing the state's payroll approximately $126,000 per year. The state fire marshal is soon to increase his force of deputies from thirteen to forty.

No civil service legislation got through. William D. Walton, of Newcastle, succeeded in getting his civil service bill affecting policemen, firemen and employes of the engineering department of cities of the third class to the governor. Later it was recalled for the purpose of amendment. Meanwhile opponents of the measure worked inroads among the legislators, with the result that the bill as amended failed of final passage.

No Constitutional Convention.

There is to be no constitutional convention, for the next two years at least. In the last days of the session Representative Roney, of Philadelphia, tried to revive his bill calling for a convention to revise the constitution, but the house refused to go along.

Bills carrying appropriations totaling over $64,000,000 were passed by the legislature and sent to the governor. One measure alone, the general appropriation bill, carries items totaling $34,000,000. The rest of the money is to go to charitable institutions.

Game and Fish.

Nine laws were passed affecting game, the majority of them providing for the protection of wild life. The Phillips measure establishes a new open season for hunting Pennsylvania game, and severe penalties may be imposed for illegal killing or sale of various species. The state game commission was given authority, by the Clark act, to establish and maintain game preserves on the state forest reserves or on leased land. Very severe penalties are provided for the killing of any game on such preserves at any time byhunters. No. 42 of the present session gives the state game commission power to close to hunting any county upon appeal and public hearing of 200 residents, showing necessity. Act No. 61 permits farmers to kill blackbirds when they become nuisances. No. 43 permits hunters' dogs to be trained from Sept. 1 to March 1 in pursuit of game, but latter must not be injured. Act No. 60 creates bounties for the killing of foxes, weasels, wild cats and minks, and to prevent fraud in collection, provides for a system of payment through the state game commission. Another law signed by the governor increases the game wardens from thirty to sixty. Unnaturalized foreign born residents who fish in the state may be fined $20 fo reach offense. Another act extends the authority of foresters, forest rangers, game protectors and fish wardens and their deputies to enforce the game, fish and forestry laws. This measure is a part of the governor's unrealized aim of a conservation department.

GOVERNOR HAS ELECTION BILLS

Republicans Believe He Will Approve All Six.

ANTI-FUSION ACT POPULAR

Sentiment to Prevent Springing Up of Mushroom Parties After Primaries is State-Wide and Not Confined to Any One Party—General Demand For These Election Reforms—Other Election Bills.

Harrisburg, May 25.—It now requires but the approval of the governor to place upon the statute books of Pennsylvania a series of changes in the election laws of the state desired by the 725,000 or more electors who are holding to the Republican party and its principles. Strange as it may seem, it is nevertheless true, that four of the proposed laws also have the support of Democrats, who see in them not only meritorious features but a spirit of justice to all political parties.

The bills now on the governor's desk include three bills that would virtually prevent the formation of mushroom parties after the primaries and which are known as anti-fusion measures; a bill to elect the national committeeman previous to the meeting of the national convention; a bill to give the party casting the greater number of votes at a general election first place on the ballot at the subsequent election and a bill to permit an elector to vote for three candidates for superior court next November, instead of only one. The governor also has a bill to allow the organization of new parties before the primaries.

Naturally the most important of the above are those aimed against fusion. There was never any reason for permitting fusion since the uniform primary laws have been enacted, and the wonder is that when the legislature wiped out the convention system of making nominations it failed to finish its work by putting through an anti-fusion measure.

Should Not "Appoint" Candidate.

In the nominating of candidates at the primaries every elector may participate in the making of the ticket of his party. When a majority of the party vote to place certain men on the ticket no elector is justified in afterwards joining with four or five others in trying to set up a ticket of their own. This virtually wipes out the intent of the uniform primary law, permitting as it does the "appointing" of nominees.

In urging this change in the election laws it was pointed out that the legislature would be derelict in its duty if it continued to permit the disappointed and disgruntled such privileges at the expense of hundreds of thousands of sincere Republicans and Democrats.

If a man does not want to abide by the result of the primaries he should not participate in them; nor should he and four or five others be allowed to set up a party of their own after the primaries and receive the same privileges on the ballot as are accorded a permanent party, represented by hundreds of thousands of electors.

The proposed changes also prohibit the substitution of names on the ballot after the primaries except in the event of the death of a nominee. From the standpoint of fair dealing nothing could be better for all parties. When electors nominate a ticket their interest should be protected by law. It is manifestly wrong for a few party bosses to step in and upset the will of the electors by inducing some nominees to resign and make way for others who did not go before the people at the primaries.

Will of the People.

In other words, it is unjust to men who always vote the straight ticket—be they Republicans or Democrats—to be compelled to support men whom they did not name as their standard bearers. When once nominated a ticket should stand, expressing as it does, the will of the people, and anything that makes possible the upsetting of this principle is un-American and, therefore, indefensible.

The bill giving the party which casts the greatest number of votes at a general election first place on the ballot has the support of every genuine Republican. It would mean that the Republican party, by reason of its showing last November, would again take the place it held for so many years and up to the time the split occurred in 1912. At present the party position is governed by the vote at the previous presidential election.

In signing the child labor bill which was passed shortly before the Legislature adjourned Governor Brumbaugh issued the following explanatory statement:—

"In approving the Cox bill to provide for the health, safety and welfare of minors, it is well to keep in mind the fact that the Republican party in its platform, and its candidate for governor in his campaign, gave positive assurance that an advanced law of this kind should be enacted. The attempts to do this in preceding sessions of the legislature failed. The reasons are matters of history.

"When this session was called it was evident that the same contending parties were at issue upon the provisions that should be included in any bill regulating the employment of minors. I personally felt this keenly. It was my desire to bring these contending groups together in favor of a fair and honest bill. I recognized the point of view held by each and, having for many years not only studied this problem, but actually had to do with its administration under existing law, set about to frame an act that would be fair to our great industries, and also just to our great asset—the children who toil in Pennsylvania.

"It is to be regretted that all parties in interest did not agree upon the measure. It was widely and frankly discussed, and eventually appealed to a commanding majority of the assembly as a wise and proper measure.

Humane Features.

"It provides many humane and important features upon which all were agreed. Upon the hours per day and per week it was, I am sorry to record, impossible to reach an agreement. The hours of this act are fair, fifty-one per week, nine per day, and coupled with this provision is a feature, new in the state, providing that eight hours per week shall be devoted to attendance upon a vocational school. This school is new to our American thought. It is the most important feature of the act. Children between fourteen and sixteen years of age ought to be in school—at least part of each week. Unless they are at work they must be in school under present and proper laws. Those that go to work at fourteen ought not be barred from further education.

"If we believe in our common democracy we must believe in the enlightenment of its members. This is fundamental in our American civilization. This act is intended to advance the standards of our citizenship and perpetuate in wiser ways our sacred institutions by giving more enlightenment and vision to our people. No true friend of our civilization, no believer in the genius of our institutions can gainsay the wisdom, the necessity for this provision.

"It is, moreover, conceived in the interest of our great industries. These have been, they are the pride of the commonwealth. No true Pennsylvanian would in any unfair or unjust manner do them harm. They need not only workers, but they need skilled workers. This vocational training will in a speedy manner guarantee to industry the type of service which it needs and which it does not now secure.

"From every point of view and, having in mind the welfare of the commonwealth, the prosperity of our industries, and the conservation of the young life of the state, this act should receive the kindly consideration and the hearty acceptance its beneficent provisions warrant.

"M. G. BRUMBAUGH."

Verdi's Secrecy.

Verdi observed great secrecy concerning his operas, even to his business associates, and it is said that the first intimation his business managers, the Ricordis, received of the composition of "Falstaff" was a toast offered by Boito, who as supper one night, when the publisher and his wife were present, slyly glanced at Verdi and proposed a health to the "fat knight," at which it seemed Verdi and Boito had been working for months.

The Cardinal's Enemy

A Bit of History That Is Also a Romance.

By F. A. MITCHEL

If one were asked what period in history furnished the most themes for stories he might be right in replying that containing the administration of the government of Louis XIII. of France by Cardinal Richelieu. Louis' queen, Anne of Austria, was a bitter opponent of the cardinal, and what Richelieu was to the king the Duchess of Chevreuse was to the queen. The duchess was one of the most beautiful, the most attractive and the most intriguing women who ever lived.

After the exposure of a treasonable plot the cardinal banished her to Lorraine, where she infatuated the king, Louis XIII., mixing him up in another conspiracy. The cardinal's policy forbade him to imprison a woman, so after banishment from France had failed he sent Mme. Chevreuse to a country estate she owned. There, having no better subject for her fascination, she bewitched an octogenarian official.

This amusement failing to satisfy her, she turned her attention to another intrigue with a view to overthrowing the queen's and her own detested enemy, Richelieu.

At this time the queen was secretly corresponding with those opposing the cardinal, among them Mme. de Chevreuse. The person who conducted this correspondence was one La Porte, her secretary. He was the keeper of her cipher code, translated her letters into it, forwarded them to their destination and received the replies, handling them in the same way.

But the cardinal was watching and suspected the frequent goings and comings of the man. One of the queen's supposed adherents was won over and told La Porte that he was going to Tours, where Mme. de Chevreuse was held in restriction, and asked if he had any message for her. If so he would carry it. La Porte replied that he had a letter and would bring it to him. While doing so he was arrested with the queen's letter on his person and lodged in the Bastille. The letter was not important, but the queen and her friend had been forbidden to correspond. The cardinal at once ordered the seizure of the private papers of both the queen and the duchess.

When the queen was accused of treason she falsely made an oath that she had not corresponded with any foreign power. Richelieu knew better, and on promise of the king's pardon the queen confessed that she had written her relatives in Madrid and in Brussels, but not on matters of state. La Porte declared that he had carried no letters for the queen except to Mme. de Chevreuse. Fearing that La Porte's statement and hers would not agree, Anne desired to post him on what she had declared and ask him to make the same statement. This she hoped would satisfy Richelieu and prevent his investigating further.

But how reach La Porte in his cell at the Bastille? So carefully watched was he that a warden quitted him only for a few hours during the day and slept in his cell at night. One of the queen's maids of honor and devoted to her, Mlle. de Hautfort, not only suggested a plan of conveying a letter to La Porte, but volunteered to carry it herself.

The Chevalier de Jars, who had been involved in a former conspiracy against the cardinal, was confined in the Bastille and occupied a cell directly over that of La Porte, though between the chevalier's and La Porte's cell were two others. It was hoped by the queen's adherents that De Jars might find some way of conveying a letter from the queen to La Porte. De Jars had suffered a paralytic stroke and was allowed the privileges of an invalid, being permitted to receive friends and converse with them in the courtyard of the prison.

Mlle. de Hautfort early one morning issued from the palace of the Louvre before the inmates were awake, being dressed in the costume of a maidservant. Mademoiselle's hair, which was luxuriant and beautiful, was concealed under a large coif, and she was robed in a loose gown which concealed her superb figure. Calling a fiacre, she was driven to the Bastille, where she asked to see the Chevalier de Jars, saying that she was a lady's maid of a niece of the chevalier and bore a message for him.

The hour was before the prisoners' time of rising, and the queen's maid of honor was obliged to wait in the guardroom among a lot of soldiers of low degree. After some time the chevalier arrived and asked what was wanted. Mademoiselle drew him into the court and, raising her coif, showed him who she was and handed him the queen's letter with her majesty's request that he find means to convey it to La Porte.

De Jars was no coward, as he had demonstrated in the schemes in which he had embarked to overthrow the cardinal. Nevertheless he hesitated to become mixed up in a scheme which if discovered would cost him his head. But when mademoiselle reminded him of the terrible risk she was herself running he consented.

The queen's messenger, returned to the palace without having been discovered. De Jars, who was full of resource, worked out the problem of getting the queen's letter to La Porte. Had the latter occupied a cell directly beneath his own he might contrive to get the letter through the floor. But to pass it through other floors was impossible. The next cell below the chevalier's was occupied by some men who had been implicated in an insurrection in Bordeaux. The next cell below theirs held the Baron de Tenace and a man named Reveliton, who had been a servant of a nobleman who had lost his head for a conspiracy against the cardinal. The chevalier planned to pass the queen's letter through these two cells to that of La Porte.

De Jars enlisted in his service a young fellow named Bois d'Arcy, the valet of a prisoner who was confined with his master. D'Arcy while in attendance on his master at the hour of exercise found a broken stone with a sharp point, which by eluding the observation of the sentinel he managed to slip in his pocket and at the same time asked the aid of the Bordeaux prisoners. Any prisoner was ready to do anything for another unfortunate, and they at once granted the request. Then they were given the broken stone for an implement.

The men succeeded in boring a hole through the floor to the cell next below and passed the letter through to Baron de Tenace and Reveliton. These made another hole in the floor of their own cell and had not La Porte been so closely watched would have had no difficulty in passing the missive on to him. They learned that the warden usually left La Porte for a few minutes in the morning. Waiting till they heard him go out, they passed down the letter.

The goal was won. La Porte made his confession tally with that of Anne of Austria, and the cardinal for once was outwitted. Being convinced that he had got the truth and the whole truth, he advised the king to pardon his wife, whom Richelieu believed to have been led into mischief by Mme. de Chevreuse. The pardon was granted on condition that the queen would hold no further correspondence with the mischief maker.

Anne, whose conscience was very elastic, regarded this promise solely as pertaining to letters. Through Mlle de Hautfort she had contrived to inform the duchess that if their machinations against the cardinal were going well she would receive a prayer book bound in green. If there was danger it would be bound in red and she must look out for herself. Through some misunderstanding Mme. de Chevreuse one day received a prayer book bound in red. She decided upon flight.

An official whom she had enthralled provided her with directions for proceeding to Spain, and thither she directed her course. Ordering her carriage, she gave out that she intended to visit friends in the neighborhood. She set out near evening and as soon as it was dark ordered her coachman to stop and stepped out disguised as a man in a long cloak and riding boots. A horse was waiting for her, and mounting, followed by two servants also mounted, she rode southward.

In her excitement she had left in the carriage the official's directions as to the route and was obliged to proceed without them. Riding all night, she arrived at a town near which a nobleman, La Rochefoucauld, was at the time stopping. He had carried messages between her and the queen, and she knew she could trust him; but, not willing to compromise him, she wrote him as a stranger who had killed a man in a duel and was flying from the authorities, begging him to send a carriage and a valet.

La Rochefoucauld sent the carriage and the valet, and the duchess set out for another of his houses occupied by a gentleman in his service named Malbasty, where she arrived before daylight the next morning. Mme. Malbasty recognized the valet as a servant of La Rochefoucauld, and the man told her that the gentleman he was conducting was an intimate friend of his master and related the story about the duel. M. Malbasty asked the duchess how he could serve her. She replied that she would tell him tomorrow and asked him to go with her, since the two men she had brought from town might be recognized, and she wished to leave them behind until she should send for them.

Malbasty consented, the carriage was sent back, and, mounting a horse which was provided for her, the duchess proceeded on the journey, accompanied by her host and the valet. She had bandaged her head to conceal a wound that she said she had received in the duel.

The hairbreadth escapes from recognition that were made by the fair fugitive were many. She was constantly meeting persons who knew her and was obliged to resort to various devices to avoid acknowledging her identity. One man she met said that if she were dressed as a woman he would certainly mistake her for the Duchess de Chevreuse. She replied that she was a relative of the duchess.

Despite the fact that as soon as her flight was discovered the cardinal sent after her in great haste, she reached Spain, where she was safe.

Philip IV., brother of Anne of Austria, was then king of Spain, and as soon as he learned that his sister's adherent was within his dominions he ordered that she be received with great distinction and sent several royal carriages, each drawn by six horses and occupied by his representatives, to fetch her to the capital. On her arrival the people turned out en masse to see the distinguished stranger who had come to them after so many romantic adventures. The king, like all other men, was captivated with her, and the queen showed her every attention.

From Spain the duchess went to England, whose queen, Henriette Maria, was a sister of the king of France and a bitter enemy of the cardinal who dominated her brother. There she received no less a welcome than in Spain.

THE CITY OF DAVID-- THE CITY OF GOD

2 Samuel 6:1-19; Psalm 24.—May 30.

Jerusalem the New Capital—God's Presence Desired—The Ark to Be Brought—Uzzah Slain—Obed-Edom Blessed—The Lesson Learned—The Ark Properly Brought.

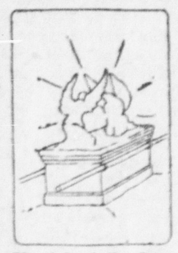
"I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the House of Jehovah."—Psalm 122:1.

GUIDED by Divine providence, King David captured Jerusalem, for centuries an impregnable fortress held by the Jebusites, and made it the capital of Israel. One of his first acts was to provide himself a palace befitting the dignity of the nation. To this end he obtained from King Hiram of Tyre material and skilled craftsmen.

Then King David prepared to transfer the Ark of the Covenant to Jerusalem. King Saul had removed the Tabernacle from Nob to Gibeah, but the Ark had not been in the Tabernacle for a long time. Eli's wicked sons had taken it into battle; and it was captured by the Philistines, who received chastisements from the Lord until they returned it to Kirjath-jearim. There it remained for seventy years.

A Great Lesson In Reverence.

Intent upon honoring God, King David had nevertheless neglected to study the Divine Law regulating the Ark and its movements. The Divine direction was that the priests should cover the Ark in a particular manner, and that the Levites should bear it upon their shoulders. Neglecting these instructions, the king had a new cart made, drawn by oxen. But this was not God's way: a lesson of reverence for the Ark, symbol of God's character and His Mercy-Seat, must be given.



The Ark of the Covenant.

The appropriate time came when the oxen, drawing the cart over a smooth, sloping surface, tilted it a little. Uzzah attempted to steady the Ark, and was immediately smitten dead with lightning. This evidence of Divine displeasure terminated the festivities; and the Ark was delivered to the home of Obed-Edom the Levite.

The people thus learned reverence—a lesson seemingly much needed today. Irreverence manifested by the world does not astound us so much as does irreverence manifested by those professedly the Lord's consecrated people. Irreverence of manner, jokes on religious things or on Scripture, etc., are surely injurious to the individual and to his influence with others.

The Ark at Obed-Edom's home brought blessings that attracted King David's attention. Again his heart longed that Jerusalem should be the city of God, the Ark and the Shekinah Glory-light indicating the Divine presence. When King David was again ready to bring up the Ark, he used the Divinely directed method.

Besides thousands of warriors and multitudes of people, there were musicians, who joyfully manifested appreciation of the great event; and the Levites chanted responsively a Psalm which King David composed for the occasion—Psalm 24. The king himself joined in this manifestation of delight, and danced before the Ark.

As the procession neared Jerusalem, it was met by the women of the city with rejoicing. At their head should have been Michal, King David's wife. On his return home she reproved him sharply for his manifestations of joy. The king reminded her that the Lord had taken the kingdom from her father, and had given it to him. Apparently the proud woman was thereafter left to herself, the bare mention being made that she was thenceforth childless.

The Psalm Was Prophetic.

As the Ark represented Christ, so the bringing of the Ark into Jerusalem corresponds to our receiving Christ. All such realize that "the earth is the Lord's, and the fulness thereof"—that every good and perfect gift cometh down from the Father through the Son. The world and all dwelling therein are subjects of those blessings.

King David Dancing.

God is founding His New Order of things amidst seas of discontent—the restless masses. He invites us to ascend into His Holy Hill, His Kingdom, and to be established in His Holy Place—the spiritual Divine nature. None can be of this class except on condition of pure heart and clean hands—righteous living to the best of his ability. These are all expected to swear allegiance to God.

Jesus was the first of these Covenanters; and the Church must walk in His steps, if they would be with Him in His Kingdom. These must not lift up their soul to falsehood nor swear deceitfully. God will require all that they have covenanted. Only such will receive His blessing and righteousness imputed through Christ.

Then follows the declaration that the Children of Israel are those who seek the Lord, and who request that the King of Glory come in. We still await His entrance. He declares that He shall be revealed to the world in flaming fire—"a Time of Trouble." Then quickly His mighty power will deliver from Satan, sin and death.

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FOR JUDGE

We are authorized to announce as the candidate of the people and for the people the name of J. Kennedy Johnston for the office of Judge in Centre County (being the 49th., Judicial District) who respectfully solicits your influence and support on his behalf for said office upon a non-partisan ticket.

FOR SHERIFF

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the name of George H. Yarnell, of Walker Township, for the Republican nomination for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the forth coming primaries.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

The undersigned desires to formally announce his candidacy for the Republican nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the will of the Republican voters as expressed at the coming primaries.

DAVID CHAMBERS,
Clarence, Pa.

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the name of A. H. Hartswick, of State College township, for the Republican nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican electors of Centre County at may be expressed by them at the primary election of 1915. Mr. Hartswick asks the support of all Republican voters at the primaries assuring them that the same will be appreciated.

FOR RECORDER

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce he name of William H. Brown, of Bellefonte Borough, for the Republican nomination for Recorder, subject to the decision of the primaries of 1915.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the name of Isaac Miller, (carpenter), of Bellefonte borough, for nomination on the Republican ticket at the primaries of 1915 for the office of County Commissioner. Mr Miller respectfully asks the support of the Republican voters of the county.

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the name of Harry S. Stuart, of Sandy Ridge, Rush Township, for Republican nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the primaries of 1915. Mr. Stuart respectfully asks the support of all Republicans for the nomination.

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the name of Harry P. Austin, of Milesburg Borough, for Republican nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries on September 21st, 1915. Mr. Austin respectfully asks the support of all Republicans.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the name of W. C. Cassidy for Republican nomination for the office of Justice of the Peace in the South and West Wards of Bellefonte Borough, subject to the decision of the primaries to be held on September 21st. 1915.

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the candidacy of W. H. Musser for the Republican nomination for Justice of the Peace in the North Ward of Bellefonte Borough, subject to the decision of the primaries to be held on September 21st, 1915. Mr. Musser respectfully asks the support of the Republican voters of the North Ward.

Every friend of The Pennsylvania State College owes a debt of gratitude to Representative H. B. Scott, of Centre County, and to Senator William E. Crow of Fayette County, for their untiring work in securing the additional $100,000 which was accorded the college in the closing hours of the Legislature. Representative Scott, although a new member at Harrisburg, handled the State College appropriation bill so splendidly as to command the favorable notice of old-time legislators. In the upper branch Senator Crow proved himself a valuable friend to Penn State. This newspaper and every other friend of the college extend Mr. Scott and Mr. Crow assurances of grateful appreciation.

Roosevelt's latest outbreak ought to make us all devoutly thankful that he is not in the White House and privileged to issue such words as the official utterance of the President of the United States. His assumption that President Wilson will put this great and powerful nation in the helpless attitudes of China is the cheap talk of a demagogue. It is unworthy of Roosevelt's intelligence and of the high position he holds before the country. It sounds like the weak talk of an irresponsible boy, not the speech of a responsible statesman. He has done his reputation a serious injury, and he has done nothing to strengthen the position which this nation has assumed before the world. Such language is deplored by sensible, responsible, loyal citizens.

REDEEM THE PLEDGE

The Legislature in the closing hours of the session wisely and very properly added $100,000 to the appropriation for Pennsylvania State College. The measure as it was sent to Governor Brumbaugh calls for an appropriation for Penn State of $1,000,000.

This amount is intended to cover the coming two years. This means $500,000 for each year to meet the multitudinous needs of a great, growing college—maintenance, extension, strengthening the lines in all directions. Every dollar of the full amount will be needed. More would not be too much. Pennsylvania State College is the ward of this State. It has richly earned the right to ask liberal, generous care and treatment. The Legislature has not done all that it might have done, but the $1,000,000 appropriation will be a great help. It is now up to Governor Brumbaugh to say whether or not the full amount is to be allowed.

This is the age when the leading men of the world have united in the statement that a "back to the land" movement is the logical solution of congestion in the cities and a means to aid in reducing the high cost of living by increasing production. The surest way to make farming so attractive that the sons of farmers will not seek the cities for employment is to teach them how to make rural life more interesting and remunerative. Merely telling sons of farmers to remain on the farm will not keep them there. Showing them how they may make it to their advantage to do so gives the greatest promise of results. Pennsylvania State College is doing a notable work in teaching agriculture and demonstrating along practical lines what may be accomplished by scientific methods. Governor Brumbaugh will surely keep this important fact in mind when the State College appropriation comes to his desk. If there should be any doubt in his mind this phase alone of the great work State College is doing should aid him in reaching a favorable decision.

The Republican party publicly voiced its appreciation of what PennState means to present and future generations of Pennsylvania boys when it incorporated in its platform last fall a plank pledging continued liberal support. This pledge was one of those which Governor Brumbaugh accepted when he made the party platform his platform. It is within his power to ratify the action of the Legislature. Under a ruling of the Supreme Court it also is within his power to reduce the appropriation. To do other than to give to Pennsylvania State College all that the Legislature has made possible would be to send a message of disappointment to every friend of that institution. The Republican platform pledge was given in good faith. It should be made good by Governor Brumbaugh. We believe he will do it.

A PEACE MOVEMENT

It is encouraging to see that former President Taft and other distinguished Americans can speak out for the organization of a world league of peace. They recognize that the present war must run its course, but they feel that the peace conferences that come at its conclusion may well serve to inaugurate a new and more lasting peace than any the world has hitherto known. Mr. Taft in his recent address admitted the many serious obstacles in the way of such a union of the great Powers, but he seemed to think it was something that might be attained. What he did not dwell upon with sufficient emphasis, however, is the difficulty of transferring authority from the individual nation to the collective body of great Powers. For, unless authority is so transferred, there can be no better guarantee of peace in the future than there has been in the past. And if the great Powers are to unite for the maintenance of world peace, it seems reasonable to suppose that the present armed alliances will open the way for it. If the United States should join England, France, Russia, Japan and Italy, the combination thus formed could at least make a beginning toward the establishment of the rights and duties of the nations of the world. Such a union as Mr. Taft points out would oblige us to abandon our traditional policy of refraining from "entangling alliances." But we shall be lucky if we do not have to abandon more traditional policies than that before the war is over. In the present state of affairs there would be no virtue in a world court of arbitration unless that court had behind it the united force of a majority of the world Powers. That means that the present war alliance must become an alliance of peace, and in such an alliance it might be well that America could take its place.

With all respect to the achievements at SanJuan hill, it is just as well to remember that such an exploit would scarcely get much mention in the day's news from a modern battle line.

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AVOID CONTAGION.

Get the Health History of a House Before You Move Into It.

To those intending to buy or move into a house that has been occupied the following advice is offered by the Woman's Home Companion:

"Guard your family from contagious disease germs in the new house. It has been proved that thousands of tuberculosis and scarlet fever cases annually are the result of moving into houses which have not been disinfected.

"Secure the 'health history' of the house you expect to buy or rent. It will be supplied by your board of health, your health officer or any physician who practices in your town. If it has housed a tuberculosis patient don't take that house; find another.

"No matter what the 'health history' of the house, have the plumbing examined, the drains flushed and the entire house disinfected.

"If the walls are to be repapered have the old paper removed.

"Do not move into any house where the cellar has been flooded and is moldy.

"In towns where there is neither city water nor sewerage system make sure that the well and the cesspool are widely separated."

REPORTING FROM MEMORY.

When Note Taking Was Forbidden In the House of Commons.

Holcroft's feat in memorizing the whole play of "Figaro" after hearing it ten times could probably have been easily outdone by "Memory" Woodfall, who in the days when note taking was forbidden in the house of commons acquired fame by the extraordinary power of reporting from memory the speeches he heard in that august assembly.

His usual attitude during a debate, says the London Chronicle, was to close his eyes and lean forward with both hands upon his stick, being so well acquainted with the tone and manner of the several speakers that he seldom changed his attitude save to catch the name of a new member.

The speeches thus memorized he printed in his journal, and so wonderful was his memory that he could retain full recollection of a debate a fortnight after, though having listened to many long nights of speaking in the interval. He used to say he could put any speech away on a corner shelf of his mind for future reference.

Scientific Housekeeping.

"Don't you have trouble getting a sufficient variety of food?' she asked.

"No," said the woman who runs a boarding house; "that's the easiest part of it. You see, I make up a series of menus for breakfast, dinner, etc., at the beginning of the season and then they go on steadily till the end of it. The cook knows just what to prepare each day, and I am not at all bothered."

"But don't your boarders get tired of having the same thing each week on the same day?"

"Ah," said the landlady, "that's where I fool 'em! They don't have the same thing on the same day of the week. There are ten separate menus. If we begin, say, with hash on Monday, the next time they have hash is a week from Thursday and the next time a week from the following Sunday. Nobody can tell what he's going to have on any given day without working it out with a pencil and paper, and as nobody is likely to go to that trouble just for the sake of finding his meals monotonous, the result is, in fact, as pleasantly varied as if the menu for the day was composed every morning."—New York Post.

GUNPOWDER.

Some In Which the Perforated Grains Are Three Inches Long.

The bigger the gun the bigger the grain of powder. For the rifles the men carry the grains are half as big as a pinhead. For the largest guns they are three inches long and three-quarters of an inch thick. Every grain is perforated lengthwise. Small grains have a single hole, while the largest sizes have seven.

These holes regulate in a wonderful way the rapidity with which the powder will burn. If you light a scrap of paper all round the edge it will burn toward the center and the burning surface will steadily decrease. If, however, you made a hole in the center of the paper and start the conflagration there the flame will steadily grow, and the most rapid burning will take place just before the fire has reached the outer edge. This is the exact principle which governs the arrangement of the perforations in big gunpowder. The burning starts along the surface exposed by the perforations and spreads always faster as the hole is enlarged, burning fastest at the instant it is consumed.

It is not intended that the charge in big guns shall exhaust its force instantly, says William Atherton Dupuy, writing on "Powder For the World's Guns." The beginning of the explosion starts the projectile on its way. The explosion continues, and as the projectile gains speed the force behind it continues to push. The powder is burning fastest and pushing hardest at the instant the projectile reaches the mouth of the gun. At that instant also it burns out and exhausts itself. Its work is done.—Pearson's Weekly.

A FRIEND IN NEED.

The Pleasure That Came With a Little Act of Kindness.

"I am one of your new neighbors, Mrs. Estabrooks," said a cheerful voice at our door in the very middle of our first attempt at moving. "No, I can't come in. I just brought you a bit of lunch, knowing you would be too busy to fix any. Please call on me—just next door—if I can be of any help. Goodby!"

My husband and I glanced at that tray with its two bowls of hot soup and steaming little pot of coffee and then at each other in dumb surprise.

We had just reached that dreadful state in moving when nothing is in place and the things wanted first are underneath the things wanted last—that awful moment when a sense of helplessness, weakness and homesickness combined swoops down upon you.

We had not realized that we were hungry and physically exhausted, but after sitting down at an improvised table and sampling that delicious soup and drinking the stimulating coffee we suddenly knew what had been the matter with us. Courage returned.

"Blessings on our neighbor!" cried Ben.

"Yes," I answered. "She's the jolliest caller I ever received. She has taught me how to introduce yourself to new neighbors and win their everlasting gratitude. Whatever happens in this neighborhood I'll stand by Mrs. Estabrooks—see if I don't!"—Woman's Home Companion.

Public Penance.

A quaint old law for the punishment of petty offenders exists to this day in Middleburg, the Netherlands, and anything resembling it is not known to exist elsewhere. Owing to dampness weeds quickly spring up in the streets between the paving stones, and here, under the eye of a none too severe guard, the offenders are put to work with a large trowel shaped knife clearing away the upspringing blades of green. Each is provided with a wooden stool; hence it may be imagined that they are not hard driven. Here men and women alike who have been convicted work in this manner.

Joy of Anticipation.

The youngest girl of a Baltimore family was recently much distressed at dessert to discover that there was ice cream for dinner.

"Oh, papa," exclaimed the youngster reproachfully, "why didn't they tell me this morning that we were going to have ice cream?"

"What difference would that have made?"

"Lots," sighed the child. "I could have expected it all day."—Exchange.

A Roland For an Oliver.

Manager—I say, can we get anything like a real doctor in this jay town to attend a sick actor? Village Inhabitant—Sure. Just go to that corner grocery. You'll find a man there who's all right at curing hams.—Baltimore American.

Far Apart.

Mother—I hear that Harry Smith is the worst boy in school, and I want you to keep as far from him as possible. Tommy—I do, ma. He is always at the head of our class.—Boston Transcript.

Spiteful.

Patience—This paper says it is estimated that the annual catch of lobsters in the world is 125,000,000.

Patrick—You haven't caught one yet, have you, dear?—Yonkers Statesman.

Echoes.

The time which elapses between the utterance of a sound and its return must be more than one-twelfth of a second to form an echo.

How many people live on the reputation of the reputation they might have made!—Holmes.

CZAR REED'S EARLY DAYS.

His Life In the Navy and His Tribute to Its Officers.

It is not generally known that Thomas Brackett Reed served in the United States navy, but he told in a speech his own story of his naval experience, and his photograph as a young man in naval costume taken in 1864 is one of the priceless relics of the family:

"The navy means to me far different things from what it does to many here. To the distinguished admiral (Steedman) who sits beside me and to the distinguished admiral (Jenkins) who sits opposite it means the shriek of shot and shell, the horrors of the blockade. To me it meant no roaring wind, no shriek of shot and shell, but level water and the most delightful time of my life, for I was on a gunboat on the Mississippi river after the valor and courage of you gentlemen had driven the enemy off. * * * You see, I kept a grocery store for the government and well remember how I was tumbled aboard ship the first day with the provisions and small stores and a set of books, and the boat steamed up the magnificent defiles of the Tennessee. * * * But I also suffered for my country. How well I remember the fatal day when I drew $5,000 from the bank. The first time I counted the bills there was only $4,800. The next time it came out $5,200. I sweltered over it in the bank that hot August day, but it never would come out two times alike. Then in utter despair I bundled it up, took it aboard, locked myself in my office and there in grim despair wrestled with it alone. And, lo and behold, there was just $5,000—just what the bank clerk told me there was!

"It was a delightful life—thirteen hundred dollars a year and one ration and nothing to do. My sad heart hath often panted for it since. However, I learned that my country could support me, and I am bound to say it has faithfully done so ever since. What a charming life that was, that dear old life in the navy! I knew all the regulations, and the rest of them didn't. I had all my rights and most of theirs. * * *

"Do you wonder that I stand up for the navy? I want it increased, and I have solid reason for it. It means something to me.

"Mr. Commander and companions, I have made this speech to you in the lightest vein because I have no right to use any other. The brave faces that I see before me have been bared to the shock of battle and storm. You have seen on a hundred battlefields the living and the dead. It would be a shame for me to talk seriously of service to men like you. This button, insignia of the order, you wear because you honor it. I wear it because it honors me."—National Magazine.

Two Master Writers.

It was an odd coincidence, but a striking one, that the greatest genius of England and the most masterful mind in Spain passed from earth on the same day. Shakespeare and Cervantes both died April 23, 1616, the former being only fifty-two years old, and the latter sixty-nine.

The Ladder.

"Yes, he's one of our leading citizens. He certainly has climbed high in a few years. Why, he holds our best federal job."

"Indeed! How did he get it?"

"His brother-in-law is our leading politician."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Fine Distinction.

"There are some things about life that I don't understand."

"What now?"

"A man is looked up to if he moves in a circle and frowned down on if he belongs to a ring."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Extinguished.

"He was positively burning with love for her."

"Oh, it was all right. Her father put him out."

It is an everlasting duty, the duty of being brave. Valor is still value.

Mt. Eagle.

Mrs. A. A. Aikey, of Bellwood, who spent a few weeks here with her parents, returned to her home on Sunday evening.

Miss Bertha Kunes and her brother are spending the week with Grandpa Pheasant.

Mrs. William Bitner and daughters Ethel and Bertha spent Sunday afternoon at the John Leathers home in town.

Mrs. David Garthoof, of Lock Haven, visited in Mt. Eagle on Sunday evening at the home of her sister Mrs. George Hiram.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Glenn, of Curtin, visited at the Howard Neff home on Sunday afternoon.

Hays Daughenbaugh came home from the Whiterock quarries and spent Sunday here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shank visited on Sunday with Nittany valley friends.

John Shope, of Kennedy, passed through town on Sunday evening. He was looking very lonely.

Grandmother Robinson was in Howard doing some shopping between trains on Saturday evening.

Clair Gates, of Bellefonte, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother and brother on the farm.

Rev. Mr. Dunning on Sunday morning preached in the Kennedy M. E. church, and at Curtin in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Your scribe was in Howard on Sunday to hear the Memorial sermon. There were six old veterans present with the Sons of Veterans Camp.

Chester Neff and family visited his brother in Howard on Sunday.

Blanchard.

L. F. Bardens came to Blanchard on Sunday morning to visit Mrs. Elizabeth Potts, who is seriously ill at her home.

Quite a number of our people went to Orviston on Saturday morning to attend a birthday party at Mrs. John Fravel's and had a very pleasant time. They spent the day and returned home on the 8.30 train.

Mrs. Robert Beaty spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Ida Fravel, who is getting very much better of her cold.

Mrs. Elizabeth Potts was taken to the Lock Haven hospital on Sunday night to undergo an operation for stomach trouble.

William Potts and sister Lizzie, of Clearheld, spent Saturday and Sunday with there mother at her home here.

J. A. Quigley, who was seriously ill last week, is again able to be at his place of business.

Mrs. Robert Beaty spent last week at the home of her father, Mr. Dietz, in Jacksonville.

Miss Carrie DeLong has returned from Philadelphia and is taking a course in agriculture and home economics just now.

The Methodist minister of Howard, Rev. Mr. Dunning, was making pastoral visits in Blanchard and Beech Creek last week.

Becker Must Die.

The higher courts of New York have affirmed the death sentence of former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker for the murder of Herman Rosenthal. Becker must die in the electric chair.

"Well Known Eye Specialists To be Here Monday June 7th."

Rubin & Rubin, Harrisburg's leading eye specialists, will open at Krumrine's drug store, Bellefonte, Monday, June 7th, for ten days. They have been coming to Bellefonte two years. If you are in need of glasses or your eyes bother you call in and see us. Special attention to School Children, and Nervous people's eyes. Gold Filled glasses low as one dollar. Eyes examined free. Open evenings. Don't forget the date, Monday, June 7th, ten days, Krumrine's drug store, Bellefonte. EVERYTHING IN GLASSES.

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Pine Grove Mills.

Last week it was too dry, now we hear nothing but that it is too wet.

The many friends of Fred Goss will be glad to learn that he has recovered.

Dr. J. Baker Krebs, of Northumberland, is here whipping the streams and reports a fairly good catch of the finny tribe.

Prof. George W. Johnsonbaugh is spending his summer vacation with friends in Pittsburgh.

The stork was busy last week, leaving a sweet little girl at the home of Rev. N. L. Horn at Bowersox and also one at the Charles Mothersbaugh home. All are doing nicely.

E. S. Tressler, who is holding down a fat job in the State Highway Department at Everett, was home on Sunday.

S. D. Neidigh and daughter Mary and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Neidigh, in the former's new Ford, motored to Woodward last Friday and were among the mourners at the Michael Hess funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Corl were Baileyville visitors on Friday, spending the day very enjoyably at the Hamill Goheen home.

Mrs. G. W. Weaver, of Clearfield, and Mrs. J. A. Weaver, of Altoona, are here looking after the late Mary Hess estate.

J. E. Reed is building an addition to his barn in which to store his bumper crops. John McEwen has the job.

Miss Leora Wieland, of Lebanon, has been visiting old friends and neighbors in the valley the past week and reports that they like their new home very much.

John Reed has purchased the well known Bell home at Rock Springs, to which he and his good wife will retire next spring after a long and active life and enjoy a well earned rest.

Robert Pennington Campbell and wife motored here last Thursday for a few days visiting at the home of his birth. Robert is the popular proprietor at that famous summer resort, Penns Cave, the most historic spot in Central Pennsylvania for tourists and other travelers at which to tarry. Mr. Campbell and his good wife have won for themselves a reputation as royal entertainers. Mr. Campbell is a Ferguson Township boy and a State College graduate, class of 1904.

Mrs. Ella Gardner and sister Belle Goheen have re-opened their summer quarters at Rock Springs and will remain during the heated months.

Farmer Will Wertz and wife have the auto fever bad. Dr. Kidder can bring about a cure with a Buick.

The services of the Boal brass band have been secured for Memorial Day at Pine Grove Mills this coming Saturday, May 29th, at 1.30 P. M., when the parade will form on the diamond at the town hall. Rev. John Markam will preach the Memorial sermon to the G. A. R. on Sunday evening at 7.30 in the Presbyterian church. The citizens are earnestly invited to be with the old veterans in honor of their comrades who rest in peace.

William Campbell, I. O. Campbell's right hand man on the farm, served as a juror in court at Bellefonte this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rider, of Stormstown, were over-Sunday visitors at the J. D. Neidigh home.

D. C. Krebs and wife in their new Ford motored over from State College and spent Sunday evening with relatives in town.

Mrs. Hannah Hoy and two daughters were visitors on Sunday at the Luther Strouse home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stover visited with Boalsburg friends on Sunday.

We are sorry to note the serious illness of Grandmother Elizabeth Williams who suffered a stroke of paralysis at her home at Lemont.

The Lutheran parsonage and the Goss residence nearby are being wired for electric light.

Mrs. Maud McCormick, of Scranton, with her two sturdy youngsters, is visiting friends in and nearby State College.

Mrs. James Harpster is suffering from a nervous breakdown and her son Claud is housed up with a bad gash in his foot, caused by a blow with an ax. Dr. Woods placed several stitches in the wound and it is healing nicely.

We have an early autumn wedding on the slate.

Nancy Snyder at private sale purchased the residence on Main Street, Pine Grove Mills, known as the Hugh Laurinon home. The price paid was $1500.

Mrs. A. W. Dale and Mrs. Luther Dale were entertained at dinner last Thursday at the W. T. Lytle home at Rock Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. William Homan, of Centre Hall, greeted old friends in the Glades, motoring over in their new Buick car.

John W. Miller, in his Overland, had a touring party over in Huntingdon County on Sunday.

A recent letter received from John Lytle and his bride, under date of the 16th, states that they were traveling through snow drifts in Colorado on their way to the Panama Exposition. They are on their wedding tour.

Dr. Marvin Chadman and wife, of Lancaster, registered at the St. Elmo Hotel the early part of the week. They have a son who is a student at Penn State and naturally are looking after his interests. The Doctor is a former Erbtown boy and his many friends will be glad to know of his success as a practitioner in medicine at Lancaster where he has built up a lucrative practice.

A letter from a far-away Centre Countian, Daniel McBride, of Oklahoma, has the right ring relative to the proposed Pine Grove Academy reunion during the Old Home Week celebration. That's the stuff, Dan. UL-B GLAD-U-KUM July 2—9. Dan was in the same class with Governor Beaver, Prof. J. E. Thomas, J. M. Kepler, H. A. Thompson, Robert Meek, Jim Gibney, Asbury Oakes and a number of others from 1852—5. Dan seems to be brim full of reminiscences of that early date and says he has not forgotten the girls of the class and is very anxious for a get-together meeting sometime and somewhere during Old Home Week.

Chester John, an employe of the State road, while working in the quarry at Pine Hall, had a great toe mashed by a falling rock. He is about on crutches.

J. W. Miller and wife and his parents are planning a joy ride next Sunday in his new Studebaker over the mountains to Lewistown, via the Kishacoquillas valley, McVeytown, Huntingdon, Tyrone, WarriorsMark and home the same day.

Rev. R. M. Illingsworth will fill the pulpit in the Presbyterian church on the first Sabbath in June at 7.30 P. M.

Norris Martz and family motored down Spruce Creek valley Saturday in their new Maxwell car.

Mrs. Cyrus Brumgart, of Zion, is visiting at the home of her birth, the old John Homan farm, at White Hall, and noting changes since she left forty years ago. Many of her ancestors have passed into the Great Beyond and others have moved to various sections. She is brisk and hearty for one of her years and her locks are but slightly silvered.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Murphy are on a ten days visit with relatives at Hughesville and on their way home will visit with Rev. D. G. Brown, pastor of the Second M. E. church at Williamsport.

Centre County Pomona Grange held its spring meeting last Thursday at Leonard Grange Hall, at Rock Springs. The morning meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock by County Master W. A. Dale, who was in the chair. After the opening ceremony D. S. Peterson, Master of Leonard Grange, in a neat speech, extended everybody a royal welcome. Responses were made by Professor Neff, of Centre Hall, who was very much elated over the outpouring of patrons from all along the line from Woodward to Huntingdon County line. Next in order was the report of the Committee on Credentials, W. K. Corl, chairman. D. F. Keller, cashier of the Penns Valley Bank and secretary of the Patrons Fire Insurance Company, made a thorough statement of the year's doings of the insurance company which proved to be an excellent showing. W. S. Smith, editor of the Centre Hall "Reporter" and secretary of the Patrons Telephone Co., reported the company to be in excellent shape, all bills paid and the treasury in fine condition. Hon. Leonard Rhone got the floor and thoroughly sifted the present methods of State highway making his remarks meeting the approval of the Grange but which will likely not be heeded by road officials on whose clothes so much of the long green sticks and because of which fact the man behind the pick and shovel is not paid high enough. At this hour dinner was served by the ladies who had prepared a table groaning with the best that the farm and market affords. Dinner over with the visitors were shown about the village and the famous Rock springs that flow out from Mother Earth under a solid ledge of rock sixty feet high and becomes the source of Spruce Creek that flows into the blue Juniata. It was a quarter to two o'clock when the gavel fell calling to order the afternoon session. Reports were made on the Grange encampment and fair, the advantages of rural credit companies to farmers, the public impression of co operative societies. Patrons Co-operative Creamery was under discussion and was well ventilated by the members in charge and who had means of knowing. A large class was present and the conferring of the degree of Pomona was gone through with. Next was the offering of suggestions for the good of the order, which covered some time. Before closing a vote of thanks was extended Leonard Grange members for the royal entertainment, these members never doing things by halves. The visiting members departed for home feeling that the day had been well spent.

In the absence of the regular pastor, Rev. L. S. Spangler, who was preaching at Everett, Pa., last Sunday, the Lutheran church pulpit was very ably filled by Rev. Mr. Shaffer, of Selinsgrove, a very eloquent pulpit orator.

Paul Tate, one of Uncle Sam's rural delivery agents at Philipsburg, spent Sunday at the Tate home on Water Street.

Miss Helen Tate is a Philipsburg visitor this week.

Squire Musser and wife, of Bellefonte, spent several days last week in town looking up old acquaintances. They are arranging to spend Memorial Day in Philipsburg and visit their son and other relatives.

Kyle Osman is breaking ground for a new dwelling on West College Avenue. Howard Evey has the job. John Snyder is also beginning a new house on West College Avenue.

Ralph Walker and family were Sunday visitors at the Homer Walker home on the Branch.

Miss Maggie Reed is making a two weeks visit at the national capital.

Miss Verna Knochie is visiting with friends in Altoona.

George C. Harper is starting on a new brick residence, 26x30 feet, that is to be rushed to completion.

Wilson Logan a former Centre Countian, now of Manor Hill, was greeting old acquaintances here recently.

Emanuel Robison is having his barn re-roofed with heavy cedar shingles.

The J. H. Hoy barn is being re-roofed with 26-guage galvanized iron.

The Presbyterian church at Penna. Furnace is being repapered.

James Reed, Will Glenn and Clem Dale were passengers to Bellefonte on Tuesday.

George C. Meyers departed for Johnstown on a business trip on Tuesday.

John I. Williams was recently appointed postmaster at Lemont. John is very deserving of the honor. He is a Civil war veteran well qualified for the place.

Herman Griffin has been appointed postmaster at Stormstown and will be on the job as soon as his bond is filed.

Mrs. Bertha Smith and little son, of Juniata, recently visited her mother, Mrs. Dale, at Lemont, returning home on Tuesday.

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Howard.

Miss Josie McEntire is visiting with friends in State College this week.

Mac Bennison, of Pittsburgh, is in town, having been called here by the serious illness of his brother, Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Muffly departed on Tuesday for San Francisco to visit for a time with their son, Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thurmans, of Mt. Carmel, are visiting at the home of Charley Yearick.

Miss Sarah Wister and Mrs. Kerr departed last Thursday for Chicago to visit with their sister for a few weeks. From that place they will go to Omaha to Mrs. Kerr's home.

Mrs. Oneda Schenck and son, of Pittsburgh, are visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Glossner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holter and daughter Marion, of Johnsonburg, were called home Sunday night by the severe illness of her brother, Mr. Bennison.

Miss Amber Confer, of Yarnell, is visiting with friends in town for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Walter Kurtz departed Monday for Philadelphia to attend the Knights Templar conclave.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Biggs, of Philadelphia, were Sunday visitors with their daughter, Mrs. G. Frank Williams. Mrs. Biggs will remain for a visit of a few weeks.

Mrs. Mary Glossner, who has been in Philadelphia for the winter, returned to her home here last week.

Rev. Howard Robb, of New Berlin, Pa., spent a few days very delightfully with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Robb, last week.

Professor Shuman Williams and family of Blanchard, visited last Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Williams.

J. D. McNaul, of Philadelphia, was a visitor last Friday with his friend, Balser Weber.

Willard McDowell and Balser Weber were Bellefonte shoppers one evening last week.

Mrs. John Holter, of State College, was an over-Sunday visitor with friends here.

Mrs. Kate Long, of Clarksburg, W. Va., is visiting here for a few days with her son, Clyde.

Arthur Long left last Saturday for Detroit, Mich., where he expects to remain for some time.

Mrs. Nathaniel Pletcher and daughter were Lock Haven shoppers last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Lucas and Miss Nan Lucas were visitors in Lock Haven on Wednesday.

The memorial services will be held Saturday in the M. E. church. There will be the usual street parade, participated in by veterans, P. O. S. of A. and Sunday school children. It is to be hoped that all who can will attend the services.

Baseball Saturday afternoon, next, at 3 o'clock. Woolrich vs. Howard.

A very entertaining and instructive Union service was held in the old Lick Run Presbyterian church at Jacksonville last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The members of the church were very grateful to the sister churches for their assistance. The front seat was filled with happy little girls who cheerfully responded as their names were called and recited their pieces in a very creditable manner; the children of this place were Austin Allison and younger sisters and brother and Sheldon Hoffman, of Howard. From Hublersburg there was Miss Lulu Evers, who had an excellent selection and spoke it to perfection. Among the heads of families who assisted were George Hoy, wife and daughters Catharine and Elizabeth, Rufus Bierly and daughters Mabel and Mary, John W. Yearick and daughter Rosalie, Samuel Kling and his sister Catharine, Misses Lulu Glossner and Blanche Condo who assisted the children of Jacksonville. Rosa Yearick and Lorella Condon recited splendidly, as did also some of the other little girls of Jacksonville whose names we did not learn but we extend our thanks to them and all others who so ably assisted. We recall that that Hogan Long was one of the little boys who spoke his part very nicely. Rev. Walter Fay Carson was in charge. The following persons from Howard assisted: Mrs. J. Will Mayes, Mrs. J. F. Condo, Misses Mary Allison and Lorenna Pletcher. The Union choir was under the direction of A. A. Pletcher of this place.

Woodward.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Fiedler and children spent the Sabbath with friends in Aaronsburg.

Mrs. Susan Brummer is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Neidigh and family, from State College, were visitors at the home of Samuel Kreamer one day last week.

Misses Grace Smith and Mabel Wolfe spent Sunday at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Harris Stover.

Allen Hess and family, from Yeagertown, Pa.; Scott Hess and family, from Wisconsin; Newton Hess and wife from Scotland, S. D., and John Hess, from Trippe, S. D., attended the funeral of their father, Michael Hess, last Friday.

Thomas B. Motz and wife, from Millheim, were visitors at the home of Mrs. R. M. Wolfe on Friday.

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Milesburg.

As Decoration day comes on Sunday this year the people of this town will observe Monday for their annual services. The program will be the same as years heretofore; the Sunday schools meeting at 3:30 and marching in a body to the old cemetery at the edge of town.

Miss Ella Confer, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Heaton, has returned to her home at Stevens, Pa.

Miss Florence Lucas is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. E. De Garmo.

Russell King and sisters have moved into the Wm. Walker property on Water Street.

The Junior League of the M. E. Church will hold an ice cream social on the Adams lawn on Monday evening, May 31st.

T. A. Hugg, of Williamsport, Sundayed with his family on Water Street.

Chester Miles, of Altoona, Sundayed with John Miles and wife.

Walter Hugg, who is employed at Lamar, Sundayed at home.

Mrs. John Huff entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford and children, of Bellefonte, and Dr. and Mrs. Huff, of Milesburg, on Sunday.

Mrs. Diehl visited at Port Matilda during the past week.

Mrs. C. P. Caselberry, of Salem, Ohio, has taken her mother, Mrs. Proudfoot, home with her.

Miss Mary Klinger and Miss Kathrine McClellen of Bellefonte, visited relatives in the burg recently.

Joe Funk is making his home in Bellefonte for some time.

Miss Mabel Gault, of Bellefonte, Sundayed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gault.

Mr. Thomas, of Williamsport, is visiting at the Rev. W. A. Lepley home.

Fred Johnson, of Tyrone, is visiting at the home of Frank Barrett.

Miss Rose Haupt made a business trip to Howard Tuesday of last week.

Miss Mildred Shope, of Bellefonte, Sundayed at her home on Market Street.

Orin Heaton is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Jodon, of Altoona, have moved into the Hiram Campbell property on Water Street.

Misses Rena and Esther Emenhizer visited during the week at Curtin.

Mr. and Mrs. Budinger and daughters, of Snow Shoe, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Mann recently.

Mrs. Katy Watkins spent a few days with relatives in Curtin.

Harry Kinne is improving his residence by the addition of a porch.

Mrs. Deen, of Runville, is visiting Mrs. Edward Bullock.

Miss Elizabeth Musser, of Unionville, visited Mrs. L. Diehl during the past week.

Miss Besse Heaton, of Bellefonte, Sundayed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heaton.

Tom Faxon is visiting friends in the state of Maryland.

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THE BLOOD CRYSTALS.

"On your right is the residence of Miss Elaine Dodge, who is pursuing the famous master criminal known as the Clutching Hand."

The barker had been grandiloquently pointing out the residences of noted New Yorkers as the big sight-seeing car lumbered along through the streets.

No one had paid any attention to the unobtrusive Chinaman who sat inconspicuously in the middle of the car. He was Mr. Wong Long Sin, but no one saw anything particularly mysterious about an Oriental visitor, more or less, viewing New York city.

Wong was of the mandarin type, with long, drooping mustache, well dressed in American clothes, and conforming to the new customs of an Occidentalized China.

Anyone, however, who had been watching Long Sin would have seen that he showed much interest whenever any of the wealthy residents of the city were mentioned. The name of Elaine Dodge seemed particularly to strike him. He listened with subtle interest to what the barker said and looked keenly at the Dodge house.

The sight-seeing car had passed the house, when he rose slowly and motioned that he wanted to be let off. The car stopped, he alighted and slowly rambled away, evidently marveling greatly at the strange customs of these uncouth Westerners.

Elaine was going out when she met Perry Bennett almost on the steps of the house.

"I've brought you the watch," remarked Bennett. "Thought I'd like to give it to you myself."

He displayed the watch which he himself had bought a couple of days before for her birthday. He had called for it himself at the jeweler's, where it had now been regulated.

"Oh, thank you," exclaimed Elaine. "Won't you come in?"

They had scarcely greeted each other when Long Sin strolled along. Neither of them, however, had time to notice the quiet Chinaman who passed the house, looking at Elaine sharply out of the corner of his eye. They entered and Wong disappeared down the street.

"Isn't it a beauty?" cried Elaine, holding it out from her as they entered the library, and examining it with great appreciation. "And, oh, do you know, the strangest thing happened yesterday! Sometimes Mr. Kennedy acts too queerly for anything."

She related how Craig had burst in on her and Aunt Josephine and had almost torn the other watch off her wrist.

"Another watch?" repeated Bennett, amazed. "It must have been a mistake. Kennedy is crazy."

"I don't understand it, myself," murmured Elaine.

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Long Sin was revolving some dark and devious plan beneath his impassive Oriental countenance. He was no ordinary personage. In fact, he was astute enough to have no record. He left that to his tools.

This remarkable criminal had established himself in a hired apartment down town.

Long Sin, now in rich Oriental costume, was reclining on a divan smoking a strange-looking pipe and playing with two pet white rats. Each white rat had a gold band around his leg, to which was connected a gold chain about a foot in length, and the chains ended in rings which were slipped over Wong's little fingers. Ordinarily he carried the pets up the capacious sleeve of each arm.

A little Chinese girl, also in native costume, entered and bowed deferentially.

"A Miss Mary Carson," she lisped in soft English.

"Let the lady enter," waved Long Sin, with a smile of subtle satisfaction.

The girl bowed again and silently left the room, returning with a handsome, very well-dressed white woman.

It would be difficult to analyze just what the fascination was that Long Sin exercised over Mary Carson. But as the servant left the room, Mary bowed almost as deferentially as the little Chinese girl. Wong merely nodded in reply.

After a moment he slowly rose and took from a drawer a newspaper clipping. Without a word he handed it to Mary. She looked at it with interest, as one woman always does at the picture of another pretty woman. It was a newspaper cut of Elaine, under which was:

"ELAINE DODGE, THE HEIRESS, WHOSE BATTLE WITH THE CLUTCHING HAND IS CREATING WORLD-WIDE INTEREST."

"Now," he began at last, breaking the silence, "I'll show you just what I want you to do."

He went over to the wall and took down a curious long Chinese knife from a scabbard which hung there conspicuously.

"See that?" he added, holding it up.

Before she could say a word he had plunged the knife, apparently, into his own breast.

"Oh!" cried Mary, startled.

She expected to see him fall. But nothing happened. Wong laughed. It was an oriental trick knife, in which the blade telescoped into the handle.

"Look at it," he added, handing it to her.

Long Sin took a bladder of water from a table near by and concealed it under his coat. "Now, you stab me," he directed.

Mary hesitated. But he repeated the command and she plunged the knife gingerly at him. It telescoped. He made her try it over, and she stabbed him more resolutely. The water from the bladder poured out.

"Good!" cried Long Sin, much pleased. "Now," he added, seating himself beside her, "I want you to lure Elaine here."

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I had been amusing myself by rigging up a contrivance by which I could make it possible to see through, or, rather, over, a door.

Kennedy, who had been busy at the other end of the laboratory, happened to look over in my direction. "What's the big idea, Walter?" he asked.

It was, I admit, a rather cumbersome and clumsy affair.

"Well, you see, Craig," I explained, "you put the top mirror through the transom of a door and—"

Kennedy interrupted with a hearty burst of laughter. "But suppose the door has no transom?" he asked, pointing to his own door.

I scratched my head thoughtfully. I had assumed that the door would have a transom. A moment later Craig went to the cabinet and drew out a tube about as big around as a putty blower and as long.

"Now, here's what I call my detectascope," he remarked. "None of your mirrors for me."

"I know," I said somewhat nettled, "but what can you see through that

Elaine Took Out the Package of Bills.

putty blower? A keyhole is just as good."

"Do you realize how little you can really see through a keyhole?" he replied confidently. "Try it over there."

I did, and, to tell the truth, I could see merely a little part of the hall. Then Kennedy inserted the detectascope.

"Look through that," he directed.

I put my eye to the eye piece and gazed through the bulging lens of the other end. I could see almost the whole hall.

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Elaine was playing with Rusty when Jennings brought in a card on which was engraved the name, "Miss Mary Carson," and underneath in pencil was written "Belgian Relief Committee."

"How interesting," commented Elaine, rising and accompanying Jennings into the drawing room. "I wonder what she wants?"

"Very pleased to greet you, Miss Carson," she greeted her visitor.

"You see, Miss Dodge," began Mary, "We're getting up this movement to help the Belgians and we have splendid backing. Just let me show you some of the names on our committee."

She handed Elaine a list.

"I've just been sent to see if I cannot persuade you to join the committee and attend a meeting at Mrs. Riverton's," she went on.

"Why—er," considered Elaine, thoughtfully, "er—yes. It must be all right with such people in it."

"Can you go down with me now?"

"Just as well as later," agreed Elaine.

They went out together, and as they were leaving the house a man who had been loitering outside looked at Elaine, then fixedly at her companion.

No sooner had they gone than he sped off to a car waiting around the corner. In the dark depths was a sinister figure, the master criminal himself. The watcher had been an emissary of the Clutching Hand.

"Chief," he whispered eagerly, "you know Adventurous Mary? Well, she's got Elaine Dodge in tow!"

"The deuce!" cried Clutching Hand. "Then we must teach Mary Carson, or whoever she is working for, a lesson. No one shall interfere with our affairs. Follow them!"

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Elaine and Mary had gone downtown, talking animatedly—walking down the avenue toward Mrs. Rivington's apartment.

Meanwhile, Wong Sin, still in his Chinese costume, was explaining to another male servant just what he wished done, pointing out the dagger on the wall and placing the bladder under his jacket. A box of opium was on the table, and he was giving most explicit directions. It was into such a web that Elaine was being unwittingly led by Mary.

Entering the hallway of the apartment, Mary rang the bell.

The servant opened the door and Elaine and Mary entered. He closed the door and almost before they knew it was gone into the back room.

Elaine gazed about it in trepdiation. But before she could say anything, Mary, with a great show of surprise, exclaimed. "Why, I must have made a mistake. This isn't Mrs. Rivington's apartment. How stupid of me."

They looked at each other a moment. Then each laughed nervously, as together they started to go out of the door. It was locked!

Quickly they ran to another door. It was locked also.

Just then the Chinaman entered and stood a moment gazing at them. They turned and Elaine recoiled from him. Wong bowed.

"Oh, sir," cried Mary, "we've made a mistake. Can't you tell us how to get out?"

"No speke Englis," he said, gliding out again from the room and closing the door.

Elaine and Mary looked about in despair.

"What shall we do?" asked Elaine.

Mary said nothing, but with a hasty glance discovered on the wall the knife which Wong had already told her about. She took it from its scabbard. As she did so the Chinaman returned with a tray on which were queer drinks and glasses.

At the sight of Mary with the knife he scowled blackly, laid down the tray, and took a few steps in her direction. She brandished the knife threateningly; then, as if her nerve failed her, fainted, letting the knife fall carefully on the floor so that it struck on the handle, and not on the blade.

Wong quickly caught her as she fainted and carrying her out of the room, banged shut the door. Elaine followed in a moment, loyally to protect her supposed friend, but found that the door had a snap lock on the other side.

She looked about wildly, and in a moment Wong reappeared. As he advanced slowly and insinuatingly, she drew back, pleading. But her words fell on seemingly deaf ears.

She had picked up the knife which Mary had dropped, and when at last Wong maneuvered to get her cornered and was about to seize her, she nerved herself up and stabbed at him resolutely.

Wong staggered back—and fell.

As he did so, he pressed the bladder which he had already placed under his coat. A dark red fluid, like blood, oozed out all over him and ran in a pool on the floor.

Elaine, too horror-stricken at what had happened even to scream, dropped the knife and bent over him. He did not move. She rose quickly and ran through the now open door. As she did so, Wong seemed suddenly to come to life. He raised himself and looked after her, then with a subtle smile sank back into his former assumed posture on the floor.

When Elaine reached the other room she found Mary there with the Chinese servant who was giving her a glass of water. At the sight of her, the servant paused, then withdrew into another room farther back. Mary, now apparently recovering from her faintness, smiled wanly at Elaine.

"It's all right," she murmured. "He is a Chinese prince who thought we were callers."

At the reassuring nod of Mary toward the front room, Elaine was overcome.

"I—I killed him!" she managed to gasp.

"What?" cried Mary, starting up and trembling violently. "You killed him—"

"Yes," sobbed Elaine. "He came at me—had the knife—I struck at him.—"

The two girls ran into the other room. There Mary looked at the motionless body on the floor and recoiled, horrified.

Elaine noticed some spots on her hands, and, seeing that they were stained by the blood of Long Sin, wiped the spots off on her handkerchief, dropping it to the floor.

"Ugh!" exclaimed a guttural voice behind them.

It was the servant who had come in.

"You—kill him—with knife?" insinuated the Chinese.

Elaine was dumb. The servant did not wait for an answer, but hastily opened the hall door.

To Elaine it seemed that something must be done quickly. A moment and all the house would be in uproar.

Instead, he placed his finger on his lips. "Quick—no word," he said, leading the way to the hall door, "and—oh, you must not leave that—it will be a clue," he added, picking up the bloody handkerchief and pressing it into Elaine's hand.

They quickly ran out into the hall.

"Go—quick!" he urged again, "and hide the handkerchief in the bag. Let no one see it!"

He shut the door. As they hurried away Elaine breathed a sigh of relief.

They had reached the street. Afraid to run, they hurried as fast as they could until they turned the first corner.

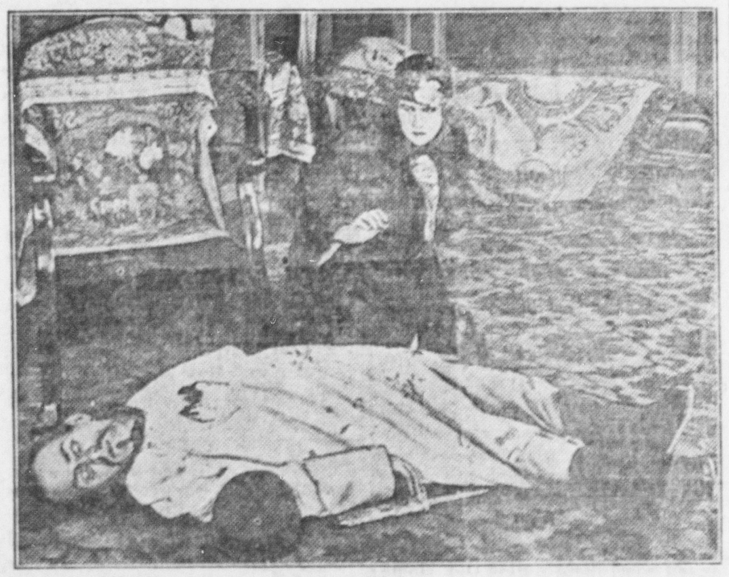
They pressed each other's hands and parted.

Meanwhile in the front room Long Sin was on his feet again, brushing himself off and mopping up the blood.

"It worked very well, Sam," he said to the servant.

They were conversing eagerly and laughing and did not hear a noise in the back room.

A sinister figure had made its way by means of a fire escape to a rear window that was not barred, and silently he had stolen in on them.



Elaine, Too Horror-Stricken Even to Scream, Dropped the Knife and Bent Over Him.

They turned at a slight noise and saw him. Genuine fright was now on their faces as they looked at him, open mouthed.

"What's all this?" he growled. "I am known as the Clutching Hand. I allow no interference with my affairs. Tell me what you are doing here with Elaine Dodge."

Their beady almond eyes flashed fear. The Clutching Hand moved menacingly. There was nothing for the astute Wong Long Sin to do but to submit.

With a low bow, Wong spread out his hands in surrender and submission.

"I will tell you, honorable sir," he said at length.

"Go on!" growled the criminal.

Quickly Wong rehearsed what had happened from the moment the idea of blackmail entered his head.

"How about Mary Carson?" asked Clutching Hand. "I saw her here."

Wong gave a glance of almost superstitious dread at the man.

"She will be back—is here now," he added, opening the door at a knock and admitting her.

Adventuress Mary had hurried back to see that all was right. This time Mary was genuinely scared at the forbidding figure of which she had heard.

"It is all right," pacified Wong. "Henceforth we work with the honorable Clutching Hand."

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At home at last, Elaine sank down into a deep library chair and stared straight ahead. She saw visions of arrest and trial, of the terrible electric chair with herself in it, bound, and of the giving of the fatal signal for turning on the current.

Were such things as these going to happen to her, without Kennedy's help? Why had they quarreled? She buried her face in her hands and wept.

Then she could stand it no longer. She had not taken off her street clothes. She rose and almost fled from the house.

Kennedy and I were still in the laboratory when a knock sounded at the door. I went to the door and opened it. There stood Elaine Dodge.

It was a complete surprise to Craig.

"What is the matter?" he asked.

She hesitated, then suddenly burst out, "Craig—I—I am—a murderess!"

I had never before seen such a look on Craig's face as suddenly came over it.

Then she poured forth the story substantially as I have set it down, but without the explanation, which at that time was not known to any of us.

"Oh," expostulated Craig, there must be some mistake. It's impossible—impossible."

"No," she asserted. "Look—here's my handkerchief all spotted with blood."

She opened the bag and displayed the blood-spotted handkerchief. He took it and examined it carefully.

"Elaine," he said earnestly, not at all displeased I could see, that something had come up that might blot out the past unfortunate misunderstanding, "there simply must be something wrong here. Leave this handkerchief with me. I'll do my best."

"Thank you," she said simply as she left the laboratory.

Craig went to work abruptly without a word.

On the laboratory table he placed his splendid microscope and several cases of slides, as well as innumerable micro-photographs. He had been working for some time when he looked up.

"It is dog's blood—not human blood," he said simply, "but what's the game back of all this—that's the main question now."

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It was not much later that Elaine received a second visit from Mary.

"Do you know why the servant allowed us to leave the apartment?" whispered Mary with a glance about fearfully, as if the walls had ears.

"No—why?" inquired Elaine anxiously.

"He's a tong man who has been chosen to do away with the prince. He followed me, and says you have done his work for him. If you will give him ten thousand dollars for expenses he will attend to hiding the body."

Here, at least, was a way out.

"It is the safest way out of the trouble. Yes, I'll do it. I'll stop at the bank now and get the money."

They rose and Mary preceded her, eager to get away from the house. At the door, however, Elaine asked her to wait while she ran back on some pretext.

Our telephone rang in the middle of our conversation on blood crystals, and Kennedy himself answered it.

It was Elaine asking Craig's advice.

"They have offered to hush the thing up for ten thousand dollars," she said in a muffled voice.

She seemed bent on doing it, and no amount of argument from him could stop her. She simply refused to accept the evidence of the blood crystals as better than what her own eyes told her she had seen and done.

"Then wait for half an hour," he answered, without arguing further. "You can do that without exciting suspicion. Then go with her to her hotel and hand her over the money."

"All right—I'll do it," she agreed. "What is the hotel?"

Craig wrote on a slip of paper what she told him—"Room 509, Hotel La Coste."

Hastily he threw on his street coat. "Go into the back room and get me a brace and bit, Walter," he said.

I did so. When I returned I saw that he had placed the detectascope and some stuff in a bag. He shoved in the brace and bit also.

"Come on—hurry!" he urged.

We must have made record time in getting to the La Coste. It was an ornate place, where merely to breathe was expensive. We entered, and by some excuse Kennedy contrived to get past the vigilant bell-hops. We passed the telephone switchboard and entered the elevator, getting off at the fifth floor.

With a hasty glance up and down the corridor, to make sure no one was about, Kennedy came to Room 509, then passed to the next room, 511, opening the door with a skeleton key.

Quickly Craig went to the door which led to the next room. It was, of course, locked also. He listened a moment carefully. Not a sound. Quickly, with an exclamation of satisfaction, he opened that door also and went into 509.

This room was much like that in which we had already been. H opened the hall door.

"Watch here, Walter," he directed. "Let me know at the slightest alarm."

Craig had already taken the brace and bit from the bag and started to bore through the wall in Room 511, selecting a spot behind a picture of a Spanish dancer—a spot directly back of her snapping black eyes. He finished quickly and inserted the detectascope so that the lens fitted as an eye in the picture. The eye-piece was in room 511. Then he started to brush up the pieces of plaster on the floor.

"Craig," I whispered hastily as I heard an elevator door, "someone's coming!"

He hurried to the door and looked. "There they are," he said, as he saw Elaine and Mary rounding the corner of the hall.

Across the hall, although we did not know it at the time, in room 540, already Wong Sin had taken up his station, just to be handy. There he had been with his servant, playing with his two trained white rats.

Wong placed them up his capacious sleeves and carefully opened the door to look out. Unfortunately he was just in time to see the door of 509 open and disclose us.

We hurried into 511 and shut the door.

Kennedy mounted a chair and applied his eye to the detectascope. Just then Mary and Elaine entered the next room, Mary opening the door with a regular key.

"Won't you step in?" she asked.

Elaine did so and Mary hesitated in the hall. Wong Sin had slipped out on noiseless feet and taken refuge behind some curtains. As he saw her alone, he beckoned to Mary.

"There's a stranger in the next room," he whispered. "I don't like him. Take the money and as quickly as possible get out and go to my apartment."

At the news that there was a suspicious stranger about Mary showed great alarm. Everything was so rapid now that the slightest hesitation meant disaster. Perhaps by quickness even a suspicious stranger could be fooled, she reasoned. At any rate, Wong Sin was resourceful. She had better trust him.

Mary followed Elaine into the room, where she had seated herself already, and locked the door.

"Have you the money there?" she asked.

"Yes," nodded Elaine, taking out the package of bills which she had got from the bank during the half-hour delay.

All this we could see by gazing alternately through the detectascope.

Elaine handed Mary the money. Mary counted it slowly. At last she looked up.

"It's all right," she said. "Now, I'll take this to that tong leader. He's in a room only just across the hall."

She went out.

Mary had just succeeded in getting on the elevator as Kennedy hurried down the hall. The door was closed and the car descended. He rang the push bell furiously, but there was no answer.

He dashed back to the room with us and jerked the telephone receiver.

"Hello—hello—hello!" he called.

There seemed to be no way to get a connection. What was the matter?

He hurried down the hall again.

Down in the hotel lobby, with his follower, the Chinaman paused before the telephone switchboard, where two girls were at work.

"You may go," ordered Wong, and, as his man left, he moved over close to the switchboard.

Just as a call from 509 flashed up, Wong slipped the rings off his little fingers and loosened the white rats on the telephone switchboard itself.

With a shriek the telephone system of the Coste went temporarily out of business.

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Kennedy had succeeded in finding the alcove of the floor clerk in charge of the fifth floor. There on his desk was an instrument having a stylus on the end of two arms, connected to a system of magnets. It was a telautograph.

Unceremoniously Craig pushed the clerk out of his seat and sat down himself. It was a last chance, now that the telephone was out of commission.

Downstairs in the hotel office, where the excitement had not spread to every one, was the other end of the electric long-distance writer.

It started to write, as Kennedy wrote, upstairs:

"House Detective—quick—hold woman with blue chatelaine bag, getting out of elevator."

The clerks downstairs saw it and shouted above the din of the rat-baiting:

"McCann—McCann!"

The clerk had torn off the message from the telautograph register and handed it to the house man, who pushed his way to the desk.

Quickly the detective called to the bell-hops. Together they hurried after the well-dressed woman who had just swept out of the elevator. Mary had already passed through the excited lobby and out, and was about to cross the street—safe.

McCann and the bell-hops were now in full cry after her. Flight was useless. She took refuge in indignation and threats.

But McCann was obdurate. She passed quickly to tears and pleadings. It had no effect. They insisted on leading her back. The game was up.

"Here," cried Kennedy, "take her up in the elevator. I'll prove the case."

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"Now—not a word of who she is in the papers, McCann," Kennedy concluded, referring to Elaine. "You know, it wouldn't sound well for the La Coste. As for that woman—well, I've got the money back. You can take her off—make the charge."

As the house man left with Mary I handed Craig his bag. We moved toward the door, and as we stood there a moment with Elaine, he quietly handed over to her the big roll of money.

If he had been less of a scientist, he might have understood the look on her face, but, with a nod to me, he turned and went.

As she looked first at him, then at the paltry ten thousand in her hand, Elaine stamped her little foot in vexation.

"I'm glad I didn't say anything more," she cried. "No—no—he shall beg my pardon first—there!"

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WALKING FOR HEALTH.

The Pedometer Habit Is a Splendid One to Cultivate.

A famous New York doctor was called upon some months ago by a patient who presented an appearance of illness, but with whom he could find nothing the matter. Questioning disclosed the fact that he had not taken regular physical exercise for years. "That's your trouble," remarked the wise physician. "I'll write you a prescription." When he got outside the office the patient opened the bit of paper and read, "Get a pedometer and bring it back to me in three weeks with the indicator pointing to 100 miles." When the patient returned at the time mentioned the doctor, without making an examination, told him he need not come back any more. His looks demonstrated the efficacy of the treatment. But he was counseled to persevere in keeping the pedometer busy and thereby save many a doctor's fee.

There are imaginative patients, most of whose troubles may be traced to the "thermometer habit." They are constantly taking their temperature, and their feelings are regulated by their discoveries. A splendid substitute is the "pedometer habit." Instead of continually fussing to keep his temperature below 100, for instance, the possessor of one of these clever contrivances can try how long it takes to send the pedometer above that figure. Lots of fun is to be obtained from ascertaining distances between various points by walking them. Incidentally the liver gets a good shaking up, the lungs receive the fresh air for the lack of which they have been starving, and the enthusiastic pedestrian feels a new joy of living. It is not convenient for all to play that most excellent of pastimes—golf. But the pedometer game is available to most, and it renders interesting what is, after all, a rather monotonous form of exercise.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

CUTTING THE CABLES.

How It Is Done In Wartime In Deep and Shallow Waters.

Cutting submarine cables in wartime is by no means so easy a job as it sounds.

Briefly the method is as follows: The cruiser detailed for the work steams slowly at right angles to the cable route, dragging after her a special kind of grapnel, like a five pronged anchor with shears attached, which grip and cut the table at the same time. This grapnel is connected with the cable cutting ship by a strong rope formed of strands of steel and hemp interwoven, and attached to which is an instrument called a dynamometer, that shows when the cable is hooked.

By steaming once or twice backward and forward the cable can be cut in two places at, say, half a mile apart, and the severed portion can then be dragged away by another kind of noncutting grapnel and left lying on the ocean bed at some distance away, where it is, of course, impossible to locate it, rendering any attempt to repair the damage a very difficult and laborious operation.

Such is the usual method adopted for destroying an enemy's cable in comparatively shallow seas. In the case of ocean cables submerged at great depths, however, the mode of procedure is somewhat different.

A similar five pronged grapnel is used, but it is a noncutting one and simply grips the cable, holding it fast. The fact that it has been hooked is, of course, notified to those on board by the dynamometer, when the ship is immediately stopped and the cable hoisted up toward the surface.

It never reaches the surface, however, for presently the lifting strain becomes too great, the cable snaps of its own accord, and, the two ends flying wide apart, the severed cable settles back to the ocean bottom obliquely, leaving a gap of possibly a thousand yards or more between the portions.—Pearson's Weekly.

Selling a Masterpiece.

Millet, who was a farmer's son, having in mind his boyhood, tenderly painted his wonderful "Angelus." He took it to Paris and hawked it about, but no one would have it. At last the Belgian minister gave him $360 for it. Six years after Millet's death the picture sold for $32,000, and in 1889 James F. Sutton, president of the American Art association, bought it for $116,000.—New York Telegram.

Twin Resentments.

She—If you loved me as you once did you would not make a row about the price of my new hat. He—If you loved me as you once did you would not wear a contraption that looks like a cross between an old fashioned flour sifter and little Willie's kite. — Richmond Times-Dispatch.

His Unprejudiced Opinion.

"Which side of the house do you think the baby resembles most?" proudly asked young Popjoy.

"Well—h'm," answered Smith; "I can't see that he looks so very much like the side of a house."—Woman's Home Companion.

A Legacy.

"Now own up, my man. Didn't you invent that tale of woe?"

"No, sir; I got it from a friend who has gone out of the begging business."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It All Depends.

"Papa, what do you call a man who runs an auto?"

"It depends upon how near he comes to hitting me."—Houston Sun.

SUBMERGED SUBMARINES.

Signs by Which They May Be Located From an Aeroplane.

In answer to a correspondent who asks to what extent a man in an aeroplane can watch the movements of a submerged submarine boat the Scientific American replies:

"We have consulted a naval aeronautic expert on the visibility of submarines from an aeroplane. He states that if the surface of the water is smooth and the water is fairly clear a submarine can ordinarily be observed visually from an aeroplane at any depth the submarine is likely to travel, which is usually not over 100 feet. Experiments have been made at Guantanamo, Cuba, and Annapolis, Md., and in the latter case the submarines were able to avoid observation at first by sinking to a muddy bottom. But the aviators soon learned to pick them out by some sign, such, for example, as escape of air bubbles."

In another article on the subject the Scientific American says that when the sea is rough it is much more difficult to discern a submarine. The captain of a warship can watch the course of a submarine by the bubbles it sends to the surface when the sea is smooth, but these bubbles are scarcely discernible when the sea is choppy. The disturbed surface inevitably makes it more difficult for an observer in an aeroplane to see what is going on below.

AN INCIDENT OF WAR.

General Hugo and His Meeting With a Wounded Moor.

General Hugo, father of that literary genius, Victor Hugo, was a daring soldier and officer. He served brilliantly in both Italy and Spain and especially distinguished himself in putting down bandits and guerrillas. That he was a man as magnanimous as he was brave is attested by a little incident of his career that his son narrated. General Hugo, accompanied by a single trusted hussar orderly, had occasion, at the close of a day of fighting, to ride across a portion of the battlefield as dusk was beginning to fall.

"He heard a feeble sound in the shadows," wrote Victor Hugo. "It was a soldier of the Spanish army, who dragged himself along the roadway, pale, bleeding, gasping and who cried, 'A drink, a drink, in the name of pity!'

"My father, touched, handed his canteen to his faithful hussar, and said, 'Here, give a drink to that poor, wounded fellow.' Suddenly, as the hussar, stooping, leaned over him, the man, a Moor of some sort, snatched the pistol he carried and fired it at my father's head, crying, 'Caramba!' The bullet passed so close that the hat fell, and the charger reared wildly backward.

"'Give him the drink all the same,' said my father."—Youth's Companion.

When Silence Is Deadly.

Silence is commonly the slow poison used by those who mean to murder love. There is nothing violent about it. No shock is given. Hope is not abruptly strangled, but merely dreams of evil and fights with gradually stifling shadows. When the last convulsions come they are not terrific. The frame has been weakened for dissolution. Love dies like natural decay. It seems the kindest way of doing a cruel thing.—George Meredith.

London's Shortest Street.

The shortest street in Great Britain is Mansion House street, E. C., which has but one address in it and whose length is but a very few yards. Short as it is, however, it has won world-wide fame as being the very busiest street in these islands—nay, one may truthfully say, in all the world—for vehicles pass through it at the rate of some 2,000 an hour for twelve hours at a stretch day after day.—London Express.

Easy.

Reason and Experience had a dispute as to which of them is the more necessary.

"No matter what situation arises, it is only necessary to bring me to bear upon it," said Reason, "and the solution is bound to come."

"After which," said Experience, smiling gently, "it remains for me to demonstrate that your solution is wrong."—Life.

You Might Like to Try It.

To multiply fifteen by itself and the result (225) by itself, and so on until fifteen products have been multiplied by themselves in turn, would take a person writing three figures a minute, and, working ten hours a day for 300 days in each year, twenty-eight years to accomplish.—London Globe.

Speed an Essential.

Rankin—Beanbrough has bought himself a $5,000 racing car. Phyle—But he couldn't afford one worth half that. Rankin—That's why he bought it. He wants something that can go fast enough to keep away from the collectors.—Puck.

An Example.

"People of this quiet, cold blooded disposition don't get into rows."

"I don't know about that. Nothing could be more phlegmatic than the oyster, and he's continually getting into broils and stews."—Baltimore American.

Imitation.

"Why, Gladys, you are spoiling your dolly."

"No, mamma; I am painting its cheeks with the same color that you use."—Exchange.

Oldest Chess Problem.

The oldest chess problem on record is thought to be that contained in an ancient Persian manuscript attributed to Caliph Kalifen Mutasin Billah, who reigned in Bagdad A. D. 833 to 842. But the reader would have to learn the old rules before it was intelligible. For example, the queen could make a move of only one square at a time and that on a diagonal, but a queen promoted from a pawn was allowed to make a move of two squares diagonally. The bishop had no power over any square except the third from which it stood on its own diagonal line, but it was allowed to vault over any piece that happened to be between. In short, it was a totally different game. Chess in the precise form in which we know it and play it today is a comparatively modern game.—London Strand Magazine.

Your Chances.

The little chances linger and return, but the great chances come and go and never come again. If we could look back over the lives of the people by whom we are surrounded how many great and rich opportunities would we see that they have permitted to drift by them unimproved!

Food and Fresh Air.

You can live forty days without food, but you cannot live four minutes without air. These things being true, is it wise to stuff ourselves with food and starve ourselves for want of air?

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What After Safety?

Everybody from Dan to Beersheba is now thoroughly convinced that "safety first" is the proper thing. It may not always be possible to agree upon whose safety it shall be, but considered wholly in the abstract anybody caught putting anything ahead of safety in these enlightened days of peace and good will would have to dodge anathema the rest of his life.

Indeed, so amicably and universally settled is this problem of "safety first" that many are wondering if we shouldn't now stop talking about it and commence to consider what shall come after safety. Safety, although the first thing, is not the only thing. What shall we have for second? Any suggestion, however fooolish, will be welcome.—Life.

Inner Life In Constantinople.

Constantinople has a deleterious effect upon Europeans. So at least declared a "great and highly gifted lady," mentioned by Grant Duff. She had the honor of being received by the sultan. "I hope you like Constantinople?" inquired the monarch. "Yes," said she, "but I find great difficulty in leading my inner life here." The sultan started, but, recovering himself, said suavely, "Ah, no one should drink water here without having it previously boiled."—London Chronicle.

This Player "Quick Study."

For remarkable memory it would be hard to outdo a strolling player of the eighteenth century, of whom Sir William Robertson Nicoll has written. For a wager he once undertook to memorize the whole of the next day's Daily Advertiser and accomplished his task by repeating every line in the journal, news, headings, advertisements and all, in perfect order and without a slip.—London Tatler.

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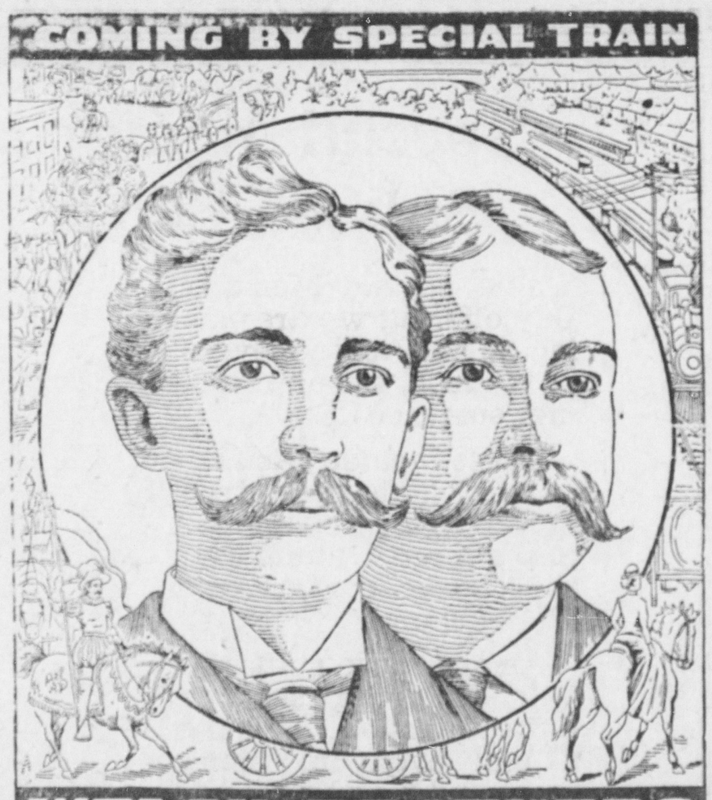

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BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD
On and after Monday, Jan. 25th, 1914 trains will run as follows from the P. R. R. station.

TRAINS TO STATE COLLEGE.

	WESTWARD.	1 A. M.	3 A. M.	5 P. M.
Lv.	Bellefonte	‡ 6.30	‡ 10.15	‡ 2.00
	Coleville	6.35	10.0	2.07
	Morris	f 6.38	.....	f 2.13
	Stevens	f 6.43	.....	f 2.17
	Hunters Park	f 6.46	.....	f 2.21
	Fillmore	f 6.50	f 10.34	f 2.26
	Briarly	f 6.55	.....	f 2.33
	Waddles	7.00	10.45	2.35
	Krumrine	f 7.12	.....	f 2.50
	State College	7. 5	11.10	3.20
	Strubles	f 7. 7	.....	.....
	Bloomsdorf	f 7.31	.....	.....
	Pine Grove Mills	7.36	.....	3.40

* Daily. ‡ Daily except Sunday. "f" Stop flag

TRAINS FROM STATE COLLEGE.

	EASTWARD	A. M.		
Lv	Pine Grove Mill	7.35	.....	f 3.30
	Bloomsdorf	f 7.40	.....	.....
	Strubles	f 7.45	.....	3.30
	State College	8.00	12.00n	f 5.03
	Krumrine	f 8.07		f 5.00
	Waddles	8.20	12.00	f 5.25
	Briarly	f 8.24	.....	5.37
	Fillmore	f 8.28	f 12.28	f 5.38
	Hunters Park	f 8.31	.....	f 5.40
	Stevens	f 8.35	.....	f 5.40
	Morris	f 8.37	.....	f 5.40
	Coleville	8.40	12.40	f 5.58
	Bellefonte	8.50	12.50	f 4.00

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 3 and 5 for State College. Trains from trains from Montandon, Lewisburg Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna. R. R. trains at Bellefonte to points east and west.

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Here and There.

James B. Krape was a visitor in Tyrone yesterday.

Samuel Wetzel, of Carthage, Mo., is visiting with relatives in town.

Miss Fannie Lyon returned to Pittsburgh on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Evelyn Rogers was an arrival home from Norristown last Saturday.

George VanDyke departed last Friday to resume his duties at Hagerstown, Md.

Mrs. Moore and daughter, of Tyrone, spent Sunday here at the Isaac Miller home.

R. R. Bell departed yesterday for Mt. Pocono, where he will be the manager of a hotel.

Charles Oberland, of Williamsport, was an over-Sunday visitor with Bellefonte friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laurie, of Tyrone spent last Saturday in town with Miss Bertha Laurie.

Mrs. George B. Thompson and son, George Jr., of Alto, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in town.

Mrs. Hugh N. Crider visited on Tuesday in Tyrone with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Freeman.

Miss Lucy Shaw Turner, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Miss Ann Keichline several days this week.

Gross Bros., grocers, this week purchased through the Beezer garage an International light delivery truck.

Frank Crissman, of Sunbury, was an arrival in town on Monday for a visit at the home of his father, W. Homer Crissman.

Miss Mary Stevenson and Miss Verna Fish, of Pleasantville, N. J. visited several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Best.

Colonel William B. Chamberlin, of Milton, was an arrival in town this week to visit for a short time with his sister, Mrs. Caroline C. Furst.

Mrs. Patsy Stewart and daughter, Miss Margaret Stewart, departed on Monday for WilkesBarre, from which place they will likely go to Hagerstown, Md.

Miss Margaret McFarland, a graduate nurse of the Bellefonte hospital, went to Philedelphia this week to take an examination before the State Board.

Mrs. William P. Wilson returned home from Chester last Friday night and was accompanied by Mrs. Hiram Hiller. The latter remained here until Monday.

Mrs. J. Mac Curtin and two children, of Pittsburgh, were arrivals in Bellefonte on Tuesday to spend the summer with Mrs. Curtin's mother, Mrs. George F. Harris.

Dr. T. C. VanTries departed on Monday for Rochester, N. Y., to attend the sessions of the Presbyterian General Assembly. From that place he will go to Canada.

State Orchard Inspector T. C. Foster, of Lewisburg, was a visitor in town last Thursday. Mr. Foster has charge of State inspections and demonstrations in Centre County.

Seth T. McCormick, prominent as an attorney in Williamsport and well known in Bellefonte, is reported to be very ill at his home in Williamsport. He is suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Mrs. W. R. Jenkins went to Tyrone on Tuesday, returning yesterday with her daughter, Miss Dorothy Jenkins. The latter was recently re-elected supervisor of music in the Tyrone public schools.

Mrs. F. W. Crider has been quite ill at her home on West Linn Street, suffering from pleuro-pneumonia. Her condition took a turn for the better on Monday and since that time has improved considerably.

Capt. W. H. Fry, the well known veterinarian of Pine Grove Mills, was greeting friends in town on Tuesday. The Captain is greatly interested in the proposed reunion of Pine Grove students during Old Home Week.

Mrs. Caroline C. Furst, with Mr. and Mrs. John Curtin and James C. Furst will go to Weehawken, New Jersey, next week to attend the wedding of Mr. Walter B. Furst and Miss Edith Whittier. The wedding will be solemnized on Saturday evening, June 5th, at eight o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. John Cabott No. 42 King Avenue, Weehawken. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Dr. Omstead, of Pomfet, Conn. James C. Furst will act as best man. The immediate families only will be present.

A good baseball game is scheduled at Hughes field, East Bishop Street, tomorrow afternoon at 2.15 o'clock between the Academy and the strong St. Francis College nine. The visiting team has been making an enviable record and is coming here confident of winning. The Academy nine is equally confident, so that indications are for a close contest. Next Tuesday afternoon at 2.15 o'clock, sharp, the strong Juniata College nine will play the Academy on Hughes field. This will be a game for blood, as the Academy will work hard to redeem the defeat at Juniata on May 15th. On Wednesday and Thursday, June 9th and 10th, the Chinese University of Hawaii team will play the Academy on Hughes field. The classy article of baseball put up by the Chinese players is sufficient guarantee to the public that both games will be well worth witnessing. It is expected that large crowds will be on hand.

Joe Moran departed last Saturday for Pittsburgh.

Miss Rebecca N. Rhoads was a visitor to Tyrone on Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Murry Balsam, of Olean, N. Y., is visiting with friends in Bellefonte.

Miss Josephine White spent Sunday with her sister, Miss M. White, in Williamsport.

Word was received here today of the death at Jersey Shore of Christ Stover, of Eagleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kellerman returned from their wedding tour last Thursday.

Mrs. Louisa Harris departed yesterday for Evanston, Ill., to visit for a time with her daughter.

John Cherry, of Montgomery, was an arrival in town on Monday. He will be employed here.

Mrs. Perry Alters visited last Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Raup, at Lamar.

Twenty additional convicts from Pittsburgh were brought to the new penitentiary yesterday.

Foster Shannon, of near Roopsburg, departed yesterday for an extended visit in South Dakota.

Charles Doll, one of the High School graduates this week, is very ill, suffering from appendicitis.

Harry Landis, of New York City, visited here with his parents during the forepart of the week.

Miss Mary Bradley's class gave a musical at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Russell Blair one evening recently.

A dance will be held in the Bush Arcade on the evening of June eighth, with music by the Lock Haven orchestra.

Mr. Holmes and Miss Blanche Holmes of State College, visited over Sunday in Lamar with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes.

J. O. Heverly has decided to purchase the barber shop of the late R. A. Beck and place an experienced barber in charge.

George T. Bush and Mr. and Mrs. David Miller departed on Sunday to attend the Knights Templar conclave in Philadelphia.

Misses Marie and Ruth Fleisher, of this place, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Fleisher, in Lamar, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wetzel and son, Gilbert, of Nelson, Nebraska, arrived here last Saturday and will visit with relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. Joseph Bulna, of Snow Shoe, who had been receiving medical treatment in the Lock Haven hospital, was able to return to her home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Elsie B. Beck wishes to extend her thanks to friends and neighbors for kindness shown her during the illness and death of her husband, also for the beautiful flowers.

Miss Kathrine Willard entertained last Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Willard, who stopped over in Bellefonte on their wedding tour before going to Panama.

On May 19th, at the Lutheran parsonage in Bellefonte, Rev. W. M. B. Glanding officiating. Wallace R. Rhymestine, of Pittsburgh, and Miss Ethel A. Oakes, of Renovo, were married.

S. S. Newman, of near Port Matilda, and John Kauffman, of Bald Eagle, were genial visitors in town this week. They were here in attendance at court, being interested in one of the several cases on trial.

G. S. Clements, whose shop is on Bishop Street, near Allegheny Street, has an advertisement in another column which will be found interesting by dressmakers and all others who have sewing to do. It is entitled, the "Dressmakers' Friend."

Miss Margaret L. Glanding, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. M. B. Glanding, went to Syracuse, N. Y., last Thursday to spend a few weeks with friends. She will also attend the commencement of the Syracuse University, of which institution she is a graduate.

Sydney Rubin, of the firm of Rubin & Rubin, eye specialists who have visited Bellefonte on a number of occasions, died from diphtheria at Harrisburg on Wednesday of last week. He was aged 29 years and had been married about one year. He was well and favorably known here.

Herbert Bartley, a former Bellefonte boy who is now superintendent of the Clark Printing Co., at Lock Haven, returned to the latter place this week after spending some time at Waddle. Herb's health has been none too good and he is contemplating a trip to Kansas to remain for the greater part of the summer.

Rev. Dr. Schmidt returned home Monday evening after spending several days, including Sunday, at Hanover, Pa., where he took part in the 150th Anniversary of Emmanuel Reformed Church. Dr. Schmidt was one of the nine "sons of the congregation", all ministers, who brought their greetings to the church of their boyhood days.

The first bill car for Welsh Brothers big circus, which is to show here on June 8th, arrived in Bellefonte on Monday afternoon and a crew of men at once got busy placarding the surrounding country with flaring posters. From all indications this will be the only circus to visit Bellefonte during the summer. So far as is known no other circus is headed this direction.

MEMORIAL DAY

Program Arranged for Appropriate Exercises Here on Monday.

Memorial Day Monday, May 31st, will be observed in Bellefonte with appropriate services. Participating will be the Grand Army veterans, Spanish-American war veterans, Troop L, First Regiment Cavalry, school children, members of fire companies, etc. Rev. Dr. G. E. Hawes will deliver the memorial address at the Court House in the afternoon. After participating in the parade here Troop L, which now has a full quota of sixty-five members, will march to State College and take part in the exercises at that place. The program for the day in Bellefonte is outlined in the formal order issued by Commander S. B. Miller and Adjutant Emanuel Noll, of Gregg Post, No. 95, which is as follows:

"The National Department, Commander having appointed May 31st, as Memorial day, Gregg Post, No. 95, on that day conduct their annual Memorial Service. The program for the occasion will be as follows.

"Parade will form in public square at 1 P. M. Troop L will assume the right of line, Undine Fire Company forming on left of Troop L, followed by the Logan Fire Company. Spanish-American Veterans and Gregg Post. Corner of Allegheny and Howard, the Public School children will form and lead the parade to the Cemetery, where the usual ceremonies will be performed. Immediately after which the return march to the Court House where Rev. Dr. Hawes will deliver the annual address. The male quartette will render several selections. Bands will be in attendance and patriotism and loyalty will be the general order of the day.

"From four to seven veterans will be the guests of the B. P. O. E."

Ex-Judge Kohler Dead.

Ex-Judge Jacob Kohler died last week at his home at Reedsville. He was aged 83 years, 2 months and 3 days. He was in failing health for several years, his illness and death being due to the general debility of old age.

He served in the civil war as second lieutenant of Company K, 205th Regiment, Penna. Volunteers, and also served in the state militia six weeks, assisting in the burial of the dead on the battle field of Gettysburg. He filled the office of Associate Judge of Mifflin county 1885-89 and in 1892 he was elected Justice of the Peace of Reedsville, an office he held for 26 consecutive years.

His wife, nee Susan Crosswhite, is dead and the following three sons and four sisters are living: John C. Kohler, of Williamsport; Benjamin F. Kohler, of Reedsville; William H. Kohler, of Mahanoy City; Misses Susanna and Amelia Kohler, of Milroy, Mrs. Jennie Wolf, of Centre Hall, and Mrs. J. O. Stover, of Reedsville.

Franklin M. Reese Dead.

Following an extended illness Franklin M. Reese died on Thursday of last week at his late home at Snow Shoe. Funeral services were held on Monday from the home of a sister, Mrs. Sella Hoover, at Runville. Interment was made in the Union cemetery at Bellefonte. The deceased was born at Runville March 2d, 1858. During the greater part of his life he engaged in lumbering. Surviving are a brother, George Reese, of Sagamore, Pa., and four sisters: Mrs. Hoover, of Runville; Mrs. Clara Snyder, of Tyrone; Mrs. Belle Weld and Mrs. Anna Homan, of Pittsburgh.

Miss Katherine Willard and her mother, Mrs. D. I. Willard, and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Willard, departed the beginning of the week for Fittsburgh where Miss Willard was married on Wednesday to Mr. Ralph Emerson Kirk.

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Daniel W. Williams Dead.

Daniel W. Williams, a well known resident of Reightown, Bellwood, died Tuesday evening of last week, at the home of Samuel Hardy, death being due to a complication of diseases. He was born at Martha Furnace, July 17, 1857, and was the son of Calvin and Lavinia Williams.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment is fine for skin itching. All druggists sell it. 50c a box.

Circus Aerialists Want Insurance

The Yorkes family, one of a dozen of mid-air troupes now appearing with Welsh Brothers' and Lessig circus, have brought suit in an effort to compel a well known New York insurance company to insure them against accident or loss of life.

The insurance company has refused to accept the risk on the ground that it is too great a hazard. If the Yorkes' will agree to use a net under their act and content themselves with performing the usual feats seen in circus tents, a policy will be written. The company makes positive objection to the triple twisting somersaults performed by these artists. In the meantime the Yorkes' continue to perform twice daily and their attorneys have instituted suit to compel insurance on the ground that the New York concern has written policies for aerialists appearing with other shows.

The Welsh Brothers and Lessig circus will exhibit in Bellefonte June 8th.

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Alfred Dodge Dead.

Alfred Dodge, a former resident of Bald Eagle valley, died very unexpectedly at his home near Grampian on Sunday of last week. He had only been ill a day or two. Deceased was aged 74 years, 7 months and 26 days. Besides his wife he is survived by seven sons and daughters. The body was removed to Rock Oak cemetery, near Port Matilda, for burial.

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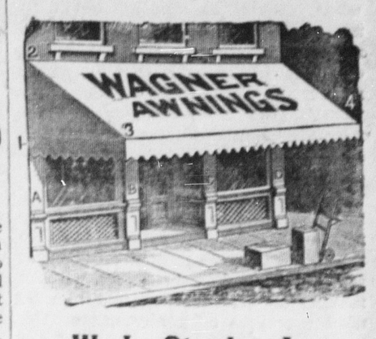

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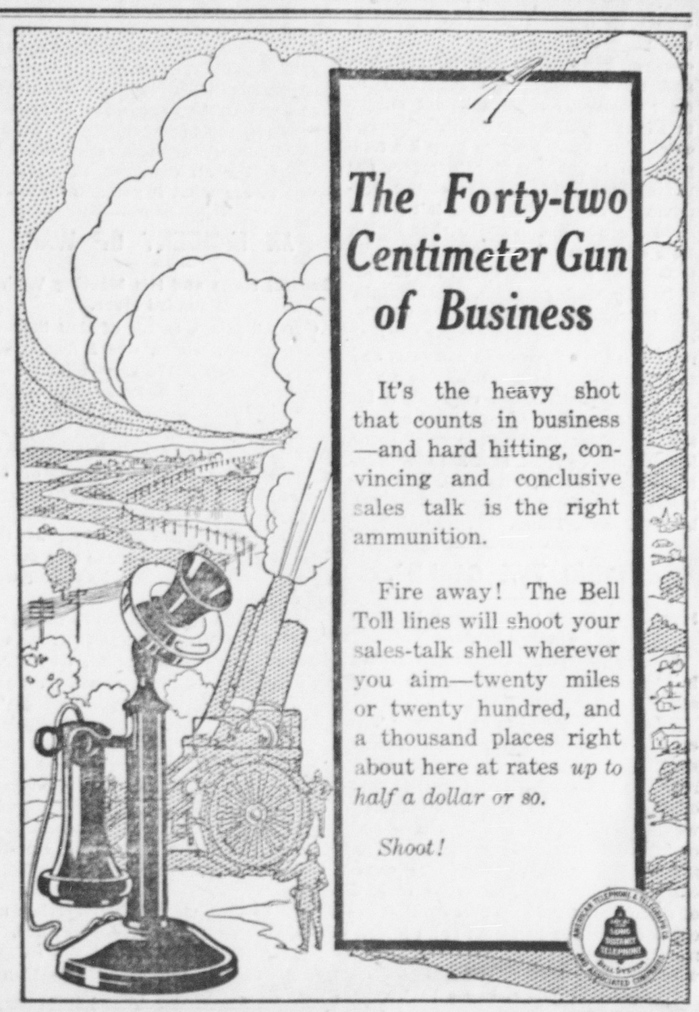

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